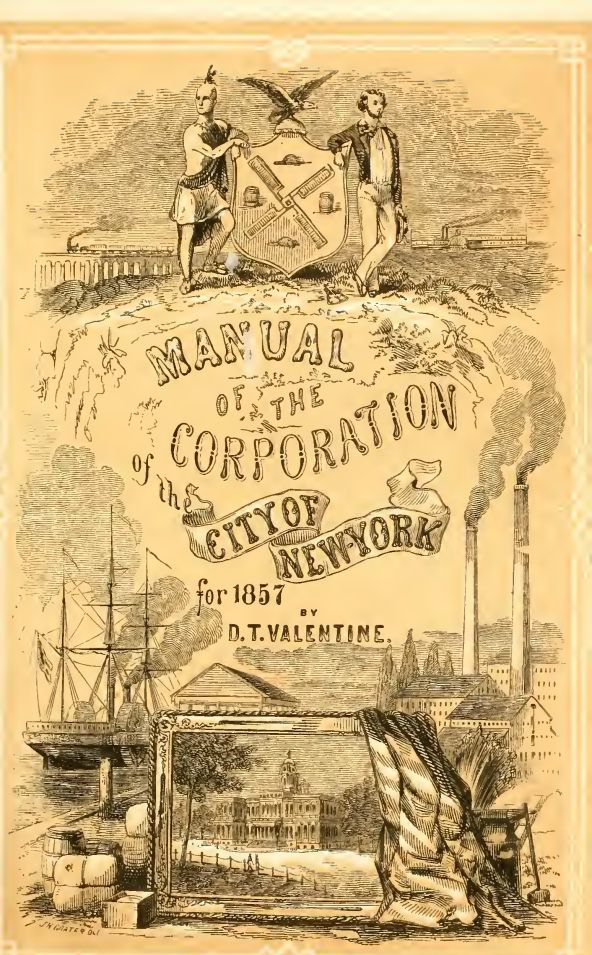


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1st Month, JANUARY 1857.

BEGINS ON THURSDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
First Quarter,	3	7	18 morn.	Last Quarter,	17	11	54 even.
Full Moon,	10	4	12 morn.	New Moon,	25	6	30 even.

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Thur.	Mutiny in American Army, 1781.	7 25	4 43	morn.
2	Fri.	Battle of Trenton, 1777.	7 25	4 44	0 39
3	Sat.	The Battle of Princeton, 1777.	7 25	4 45	1 25
4	Sun	Treaty bet. U. S., and Gt. Britain, 1784.	7 25	4 46	2 15
5	Mon.	Devast'n by Gen. Arnold, Rich. Va. 1781.	7 25	4 46	3 11
6	Tues.	Jos. Bonaparte born, 1768.	7 25	4 47	4 18
7	Wed.	Fenelon died, 1715.	7 25	4 48	5 27
8	Thur.	Battle of New Orleans, 1815.	7 25	4 49	6 42
9	Fri.	Francis Drake died, 1569.	7 25	4 50	7 48
10	Sat.	Stamp Act passed, 1765.	7 24	4 51	8 46
11	Sun.	First English Lottery drawn, 1569.	7 24	4 52	9 35
12	Mon.	Pestolozzi born, 1746.	7 24	4 53	10 19
13	Tues.	Steamboat Lexington burned, 1840.	7 23	4 54	11 1
14	Wed.	Peace with Great Britain ratified, 1784.	7 23	4 55	11 40
15	Thur.	U. S. Frigate President taken, 1815.	7 22	4 57	eve. 17
16	Fri.	Battle of Corunna, 1809.	7 22	4 58	0 53
17	Sat.	Benj. Franklin born, 1706.	7 21	4 59	1 28
18	Sun.	Battle of the Cowpens, 1781.	7 20	5 1	2 4
19	Mon.	Cuidad Rodrigo taken by Welling'n, 1812	7 20	5 2	2 47
20	Tues.	Independence of the U. S. declared, 1783.	7 19	5 3	3 43
21	Wed.	Plague in Edinburgh, 1647.	7 18	5 4	4 55
22	Thur.	Lord Byron born; 1788.	7 18	5 5	6 10
23	Fri	Wm. Pitt died, 1806.	7 17	5 6	7 21
24	Sat.	Frederick the Great born, 1712.	7 16	5 7	8 14
25	Suc.	Robert Burns born, 1759.	7 16	5 8	9 2
26	Mon.	Bonaparte escaped from Elba, 1815.	7 15	5 9	9 44
27	Tues.	Burr's Conspiracy, 1807.	7 14	5 11	10 22
28	Wed.	Peter the Great died, 1725.	7 13	5 12	11 3
29	Thur.	George III, died, 1820.	7 13	5 13	11 42
30	Fri.	Charles I. beheaded, 1649.	7 12	5 15	morn.
31	Sat.	Birth of Ben Johnson, 1574.	7 11	5 16	0 22

2d Month, FEBRUARY 1857.

BEGINS ON SUNDAY,

AND HATH TWENTY-EIGHT DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
First Quarter,	1	3	24 even.	Last Quarter,	16	9	24 even.
Full Moon,	8	6	57 even.	New Moon,	24	7	2 morn.

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Sun.	First Presidential Election, 1789.	7 10	5 18	1 3
2	Mon.	Lander died, 1535.	7 9	5 19	1 47
3	Tues.	Independence of Greece acknowl., 1830.	7 8	5 20	2 34
4	Wed	Hostilities ceased with Gt. Britain, 1783.	7 7	5 21	3 36
5	Thur.	Earthquake in Sicily, 1780.	7 6	5 22	4 57
6	Fri.	Alliance with France concluded, 1778.	7 5	5 24	6 31
7	Sat.	Congress refuses to treat with Eng. 1778.	7 4	5 25	7 47
8	Sun.	England a Republic, 1649.	7 3	5 26	8 45
9	Mon.	New York surrendered to Eng., 1674.	7 2	5 28	9 30
10	Tues.	Marriage of Queen Victoria, 1840.	7 0	5 29	10 10
11	Wed.	De Witt Clinton, died, 1828.	6 59	5 30	10 45
12	Thur.	Lady Jane Grey beheaded, 1554	6 58	5 32	11 16
13	Fri.	Capt. Cook killed, 1779.	6 56	5 33	11 47
14	Sat.	St. Valentine's Day.	6 55	5 34	eve. 17
15	Sun.	Galileo born, 1694.	6 54	5 35	0 48
16	Mon.	Lindley Murray died, 1546.	6 53	5 36	1 17
17	Tues.	Treaty of Peace Ratified, 1815.	6 51	5 37	1 54
18	Wed.	Martin Luther died, 1546.	6 50	5 38	2 37
19	Thur.	Copernicus born, 1473.	6 49	5 39	3 48
20	Fri.	Voltaire born, 1694.	6 47	5 41	5 17
21	Sat.	Sidney Smith died, 1845.	6 46	5 42	6 47
22	Sun.	George Washington born, 1732.	6 44	5 43	7 55
23	Mon.	J. Q. Adams died, 1848.	6 43	5 45	8 42
24	Tues	Thomas Jefferson appointed Ambassador.	6 41	5 46	9 25
25	Wed.	Denmark ackn'lg. Indep. of U. S. 1783.	6 39	5 47	10 5
26	Thur	France a Republic, 1848.	6 38	5 48	10 41
27	Fri.	Elias Hicks died, 1830.	6 37	5 49	11 20
28	Sat.	Deerfield burnt, 1704.	6 36	5 49	11 59

3d Month, MARCH 1857.

BEGINS ON SUNDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES

	D.	H.	M.			D.	H.	M.	
First Quarter,	2	11	34	even.	Last Quarter,	18	4	7	even.
Full Moon,	10	11	21	morn.	New Moon,	25	5	32	even.

D. M	DAYS WEEK	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M	High water. H. M.
1	Sun.	Annexation of Texas, 1845.	6 35	5 50	morn.
2	Mon.	Import'n of slaves prohibited after 1807.	6 33	5 51	0 38
3	Tues.	First Congress met at New York, 1789.	6 32	5 53	1 19
4	Wed.	John Quincy Adams inaugurated, 1825	6 30	5 54	2 7
5	Thur.	James Madison born, 1750.	6 29	5 55	3 10
6	Fri.	David Crockett killed, 1836	6 27	5 56	4 45
7	Sat.	Revolution at Warsaw, 1794.	6 26	5 58	6 27
8	Sun.	Arithmetic brought into Europe, 941.	6 24	5 59	7 44
9	Mon.	Great fire in New York, 1741.	6 23	6 0	8 33
10	Tues.	Battle of Aboukir, 1801.	6 21	6 1	9 16
11	Wed.	Irish Volunteers put down, 1793.	6 19	6 2	9 49
12	Thur.	Charter Granted Virginia, 1612.	6 17	6 3	10 20
13	Fri.	Con. for suppression of slave trade. 1824	6 15	6 4	10 47
14	Sat.	Klopstock died, 1803.	6 14	6 5	11 16
15	Sun.	Andrew Jackson born, 1767.	6 12	6 6	11 43
16	Mon.	Bowditch died, 1838.	6 10	6 7	eve 11
17	Tues.	Boston evacuated, 1776.	6 9	6 8	0 40
18	Wed.	Stamp Act repealed, 1766.	6 7	6 9	1 17
19	Thur.	Lord Bacon imprisoned, 1621.	6 5	6 10	1 59
20	Fri.	Spring begins.	6 5	6 12	3 2
21	Sat.	Sir Isaac Newton died, 1727.	6 2	6 13	4 40
22	Sun.	Ceylon Mission established, 1816.	6 0	6 14	6 13
23	Mon.	Rambouillet decree, 1810.	5 59	6 15	7 28
24	Tues.	Queen Elizabeth died, 1603.	5 58	6 16	8 16
25	Wed.	Hudson river discovered, 1690.	5 56	6 17	8 56
26	Thur.	Cholera in Paris, 1832	5 55	6 18	9 36
27	Fri.	Bruce crowned, 1306.	5 54	6 19	10 12
28	Sat.	Raphael born, 1483	5 52	6 20	10 52
29	Sun.	Santa Anna President of Mexico, 1833.	5 51	6 21	11 33
30	Mon.	Battle of Grochon, 1831.	5 49	6 22	morn
31	Tues.	Hayden born, 1742.	5 47	6 23	0 15

4th Month, APRIL 1857.

BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
First Quarter,	1	8	38 morn.	New Moon,	24	2	18 morn.
Full Moon,	9	4	32 morn.	First Quarter,	30	7	22 even.
Last Quarter,	17	7	4 morn.				

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Wed.	Napoleon marries Maria Louisa, 1810.	5 45	6 24	1 0
2	Thur.	Florida discovered, 1512.	5 42	6 25	1 51
3	Fri.	Franklin's tr'ty bet. Sweden & U. S. 1783	5 41	6 26	3 1
4	Sat.	Death of Gen. Harrison, 1841.	5 39	6 27	4 39
5	Sun.	Robert Raikes died, 1804	5 37	6 28	6 15
6	Mon.	Alexander the Great died, 325 years B.C.	5 35	6 29	7 22
7	Tues.	Revolution in Brazil, 1831.	5 33	6 30	8 10
8	Wed.	Louisiana admitted into the Union, 1812.	5 31	6 31	8 45
9	Thur.	Lord Bacon died, 1483.	5 30	6 32	9 15
10	Fri.	Chartist demonstration in London, 1848.	5 28	6 33	9 46
11	Sat.	Abdication of Napoleon, 1814.	5 26	5 34	10 16
12	Sun.	Seneca died, 65.	5 25	6 35	10 43
13	Mon.	Catholic Emancipation, 1829.	5 24	6 36	11 12
14	Tues.	Handel the musician died, 1759.	5 22	6 37	11 13
15	Wed.	Calais taken by storm, 1596.	5 21	6 38	ev. 15
16	Thur.	Buffon the naturalist died, 1788.	5 20	6 39	0 52
17	Fri.	Sir William Davenant died, 1668.	5 18	6 40	1 39
18	Sat.	Judge Jeffries died, 1689.	5 16	6 41	2 41
19	Sun.	Battle of Lexington, 1775.	5 15	6 42	4 13
20	Mon.	Dissolution of the Rump Parliam't, 1653	5 13	6 44	5 40
21	Tues.	Abelard died, 1142.	5 11	6 45	6 50
22	Wed.	Peace of Aix la Chapelle, 1748.	5 10	6 46	7 38
23	Thur.	Shakspeare died, 1616.	5 9	6 47	8 21
24	Fri.	Troy destroyed 1814 years B.C.	5 7	6 48	9 1
25	Sat.	Cromwell born, 1599.	5 6	6 49	9 43
26	Sun.	Daniel De Foe died, 1731.	5 5	6 50	10 29
27	Mon.	Sir William Jones died, 1794.	5 3	6 51	11 12
28	Tues.	Louisiana admitted into the Union, 1812,	5 2	6 52	11 59
29	Wed.	Trial of Lord Melville, 1806.	5 1	6 53	morn.
30	Thur.	Inauguration of Geo. Washington, 1789.	5 0	6 54	0 48

BEGINS ON FRIDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.	
Full Moon,	8	9	15	even.	New Moon,	23	9	52 morn.
Last Quarter,	16	6	14	even.	First Quarter,	30	8	16 morn.

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Fri.	Union of England and Scotland, 1707.	4 59	6 55	1 45
2	Sat.	Riot in New York, 1833.	4 58	6 56	2 54
3	Sun.	Capt. Ross sailed, 1818.	4 57	6 57	4 19
4	Mon.	Battle of Lutzen, 1813.	4 56	6 58	5 36
5	Tues.	Jamaica discovered, 1494.	4 55	6 59	6 42
6	Wed.	Bonaparte died, 1821.	4 54	7 0	7 31
7	Thur.	Treaty bet. U. States and Turkey, 1830.	4 53	7 1	8 7
8	Fri.	Battle of Palo Alto, 1846.	4 52	7 2	8 42
9	Sat.	Battle of Resaca de la Palma, 1846.	4 51	7 3	9 13
10	Sun.	Ticonderoga taken, 1775.	4 50	7 4	9 47
11	Mon.	Capture of Crown Point, 1775.	4 49	7 5	10 17
12	Tues.	Capture of Charleston, S. C., 1780.	4 48	7 6	10 49
13	Wed.	Jamestown, Virginia, founded, 1607.	4 47	7 7	11 23
14	Thur.	Vaccination first applied, 1796.	4 45	7 8	11 58
15	Fri.	Cape Cod named, 1602.	4 44	7 9	ev 38
16	Sat.	Eng. bet. the Pres't & Lit. Belt, 1811	4 43	7 10	1 30
17	Sun.	War dec. with France by G. Brit., 1756.	4 42	7 11	2 28
18	Mon.	Ferd. de Soto sailed from Havana, 1539.	4 41	7 12	3 46
19	Tues.	Union of the New Eng. colonies, 1643.	4 40	7 13	4 57
20	Wed.	Columbus died, 1506.	4 39	7 14	6 4
21	Thur.	Hippocrates died, B. C., 361.	4 38	7 15	6 55
22	Fri.	Battle of '96, (S. C.,) 1781.	4 37	7 16	7 45
23	Sat.	Battle of Sag Harbor, 1773.	4 36	7 17	8 24
24	Sun.	John Randolph died, 1833.	4 35	7 18	9 24
25	Mon.	Maj. Gen. Scott rec'd at N. York, 1848.	4 35	7 19	10 11
26	Tues.	Great fire in Bedford street, N. Y., 1833.	4 34	7 20	11 1
27	Wed.	Battle of Fort George, 1813.	4 33	7 21	11 50
28	Thur.	Cholera ap'd at Nashville, Tenn. 1833.	4 33	7 22	morn
29	Fri.	Constitution adopted by R. I., 1790.	4 32	7 23	0 40
30	Sat.	Columbus sailed fm. Spain, 3d voy., 1198.	4 31	7 24	1 34
31	Sun.	Wm. Baxter died, 1723.	4 31	7 25	2 31

BEGINS ON MONDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
Full Moon,	7	0	27 even.	New Moon.	21	5	7 even.
Last Quarter,	15	2	14 morn.	First Quarter,	28	11	24 even.

D. M.	DAYS WEEK	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M
1	Mon.	Earthquake in New England, 1638.	4 31	7 24	3 35
2	Tues.	Peace bet. France and England, 1814.	4 30	7 25	4 43
3	Wed.	Treaty of Peace with Tripoli, 1814.	4 30	7 25	5 41
4	Thur.	London at the mercy of a mob, 1780.	4 29	7 26	6 36
5	Fri.	Capture of Fort Cornwallis, S. C. 1781.	4 29	7 27	7 24
6	Sat.	General Cong. proposed by Mass., 1765.	4 28	7 27	8 6
7	Sun.	Rich'd Lee proposes Independence. 1776.	4 28	7 28	8 45
8	Mon	Cholera first appeared in Quebec, 1832.	4 28	7 28	9 21
9	Tues.	Great eruption of Vesuvius, 993.	4 28	7 29	9 58
10	Wed.	Riot in Boston, 1768.	4 28	7 29	10 34
11	Thur.	Malta taken by Bonaparte, 1798.	4 28	7 30	11 11
12	Fri.	New York city incorporated, 1665.	4 28	7 30	11 49
13	Sat.	Winfield Scott born, 1786.	4 28	7 31	ev. 33
14	Sun.	Arkansas admit. into the Union, 1836.	4 28	7 31	1 17
15	Mon.	Capture of Sonoma, 1846	4 28	7 32	2 9
16	Tues.	America disc. by Amer. Vespucius, 1499.	4 28	7 32	3 10
17	Wed.	Battle of Bunker Hill, 1775.	4 28	7 33	4 18
18	Thur.	Death of Andrew Jackson, 1845.	4 28	7 33	5 16
19	Fri.	First General Assembly in Va., 1619.	4 29	7 34	6 20
20	Sat.	Battle of Stone Ferry, S. C., 1779.	4 29	7 34	7 21
21	Sun.	New Hamp. ad. the New Constitu. 1788.	4 29	7 34	8 10
22	Mon.	Attack on the frigate Chesapeake, 1807.	4 29	7 34	9 11
23	Tues	Henry Hudson died, 1610.	4 29	7 35	10 5
24	Wed.	Newfoundland discovered, 1497.	4 30	7 35	10 55
25	Thur.	Battle of Charleston, 1776.	4 30	7 35	11 41
26	Fri.	Virginia visited by Sir W. Raleigh, 1585.	4 30	7 35	morn.
27	Sat.	Dr. Dodd executed, 1777	4 30	7 35	0 26
28	Sun	Battle of Monmouth, 1778.	4 31	7 35	1 11
29	Mon.	Henry Clay died, 1852.	4 31	7 35	1 58
30	Tues.	Subtreasury bill becomes a law, 1840.	4 31	7 35	2 45

7th Month, JULY 1857.

BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
Full Moon,	7	1	48 morn.	New Moon	21	1	16 morn.
Last Quarter,	14	8	0 morn.	First Quarter,	28	4	18 even.

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Wed.	Jackson takes possession of Florida, 1821.	4 31	7 35	3 38
2	Thur.	Yellow fever at Savannah, 1820.	4 32	7 35	4 36
3	Fri.	Quebec founded, 1608.	4 32	7 35	5 34
4	Sat.	Corner stone of Wash. mon. laid, 1848.	4 33	7 34	6 37
5	Sun.	Battle of Chippewa, 1814.	4 33	7 34	7 33
6	Mon.	Flaxman born, 1755.	4 34	7 34	8 21
7	Tues.	Algiers taken, 1830.	4 34	7 34	9 4
8	Wed.	Elihu Yale died, 1721.	4 35	7 33	9 45
9	Thur.	Treaty with Prussia, 1785.	4 36	7 33	10 22
10	Fri.	Columbus born, 1447.	4 37	7 33	11 0
11	Sat.	Duel between Burr and Hamilton, 1804.	4 38	7 32	11 39
12	Sun.	Richard Cromwell died, 1712.	4 39	7 32	ev. 17
13	Mon.	Destructive tornado at N. Orleans, 1821.	4 39	7 31	1 1
14	Tues.	Riot in New York by stevedores, 1828.	4 40	7 31	1 48
15	Wed.	Crusaders take Jerusalem, 1094.	4 41	7 30	2 37
16	Thur.	Simeon born, 1317.	4 42	7 29	3 34
17	Fri.	Capture of St. Johns, 1816.	4 43	7 29	4 41
18	Sat.	Failure of L. & F. Ins. Co., N. Y., 1826.	4 43	7 28	5 54
19	Sun.	Battle of Paulus' Hook, N. J., 1779.	4 44	7 27	7 11
20	Mon.	Louisiana ceded to France, 1802.	4 45	7 27	8 15
21	Tues.	Robert Burns died, 1796.	4 46	7 26	9 12
22	Wed.	Battle of Shrewsbury, 1403.	4 47	7 25	10 1
23	Thur.	Battle of Minisink, N. Y., 1779.	4 48	7 24	10 45
24	Fri.	N. Carolina signed the confederat'n, 1778.	4 49	7 23	11 23
25	Sat.	Battle of Bridgewater, 1814.	4 49	7 22	12 0
26	Sun.	Lonsbury taken by the English, 1758.	4 50	7 22	morn.
27	Mon.	Overthrow of Robespierre, 1794.	4 51	7 21	0 39
28	Tues.	New tariff bill passed, 1846.	4 52	7 20	1 15
29	Wed.	English defeated Dutch fleet, 1653.	4 53	7 19	1 52
30	Thur.	Revolution in France, 1830.	4 54	7 18	2 31
31	Fri.	Trinidad discovered, 1498.	4 55	7 17	3 29

8th Month, AUGUST 1857.

BEGINS ON SATURDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H	M.
Full Moon,	5	1	32 even.	New Moon,	19	11	30 morn.
Last Quarter,	12	0	45 even.	First Quarter,	27	10	9 morn.

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Sat.	America disc. by Columbus, 1492.	4 56	7 16	4 33
2	Sun.	Battle of Camargo, 1846.	4 57	7 15	5 49
3	Mon.	Columbus sails from Palos, 1492.	4 58	7 14	7 4
4	Tues.	Trial of Aaron Burr, 1807.	4 59	7 13	8 1
5	Wed.	Puritans sail from Southampton, 1620.	5 0	7 12	8 47
6	Thur.	Rev. in Mexico, for Santa Anna, 1846.	5 1	7 11	9 27
7	Fri.	Albany incorporated, 1686.	5 2	7 10	10 8
8	Sat.	Veto of French Spoliation Bill, 1846.	5 3	7 9	10 43
9	Sun.	Stonington bombarded, 1814.	5 4	7 8	11 19
10	Mon.	Missouri admitted into the Union, 1821.	5 5	7 6	11 56
11	Tues.	McDonough's vict. on Champlain, 1814.	5 6	7 5	ev. 34
12	Wed.	King Philip died, 1676.	5 7	7 3	1 16
13	Thur.	Mexico taken by Cortez, 1521.	5 8	7 2	2 2
14	Fri.	George Coleman, sen., died, 1794.	5 9	7 0	2 59
15	Sat.	Surrender of General Hull, 1812.	5 10	6 59	4 18
16	Sun.	Battle near Camden, 1780.	5 11	6 58	5 50
17	Mon.	Frederick the Great died, 1786.	5 12	6 57	7 14
18	Tues.	Bankrupt Act becomes a law, 1841.	5 13	6 55	8 17
19	Wed.	Mexican ports (Pacific) blockaded, 1846.	5 14	6 54	9 7
20	Thur.	Battles of Contreras & Cherubusco, 1847.	5 15	6 53	9 48
21	Fri.	William IV. born, 1765.	5 16	6 51	10 25
22	Sat.	Battle of Bosworth Field, 1485.	5 17	6 50	10 58
23	Sun.	Washington city taken, 1814.	5 18	6 49	11 30
24	Mon.	Massacre of St. Bartholomew, 1572.	5 19	6 47	morn.
25	Tues.	Battle of Bladensburgh, Md , 1814.	5 20	6 45	0 1
26	Wed.	Battle of Cressy, 1346.	5 21	6 43	0 32
27	Thur.	Sur. of N. Amsterdam to the Eng., 1664.	5 22	6 41	1 4
28	Fri.	Battle of James Island, S. C., 1782.	5 23	6 40	1 40
29	Sat.	Alexandria taken by the British, 1814.	5 24	6 38	2 24
30	Sun.	Mass. at Ft. Winns, Creek Nation, 1812.	5 25	6 36	3 36
31	Mon.	John Bunyan died, 1688.	5 26	6 34	5 6

9th Month. SEPTEMBER 1857.

BEGINS ON TUESDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
Full Moon,	4	0	11 morn.	New Moon,	18	0	37 morn.
Last Quarter,	10	5	54 even.	First Quarter,	26	4	3 morn.

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Tues.	Juno discovered, 1804.	5 27	6 33	6 32
2	Wed.	London burnt, 1666.	5 28	6 32	7 38
3	Thur.	Treaty signed at Paris, 1783.	5 29	6 30	8 25
4	Fri.	First Continental Congress at Pa., 1774	5 30	6 29	9 7
5	Sat.	Fort Trumbull taken by Arnold, 1781.	5 31	6 27	9 42
6	Sun.	Capture of Fort Griswold, Coan., 1781.	5 32	6 26	10 17
7	Mon.	Departure of Lafayette, 1825.	5 33	6 24	10 53
8	Tues.	Battle of Lake George, 1755.	5 34	6 23	11 31
9	Wed.	Fire at Brooklyn, N. Y., 1848.	5 35	6 21	ev. 9
10	Thur.	Perry's victory on Lake Erie, 1813.	5 36	6 19	0 49
11	Fri.	Battle of Brandywine, 1776.	5 36	6 18	1 38
12	Sat.	Battle near Baltimore, 1814.	5 37	6 16	2 39
13	Sun.	Siege of Puebla commenced, 1847.	5 38	6 14	4 13
14	Mon.	Battle of Chapultepec, 1847.	5 39	6 12	5 55
15	Tues.	New York taken by the British, 1776.	5 40	6 10	7 13
16	Wed.	Sortie from Fort Erie, 1814	5 41	6 8	8 8
17	Thur.	Constitution reported for adoption, 1787.	5 42	6 7	8 50
18	Fri.	Quebec taken by the English, 1759.	5 43	6 5	9 26
19	Sat.	Battle near Stillwater, 1777.	5 44	6 4	9 57
20	Sun.	Insurrection in New Hampshire, 1786,	5 45	6 2	10 27
21	Mon.	Battle of Monterey, Mexico, 1846.	5 46	6 1	10 56
22	Tues.	Battle of Sterling Bridge, 1298.	5 47	5 59	11 25
23	Wed.	Capture of Monterey, 1846.	5 48	5 57	11 53
24	Thur.	Don Pedro died, 1834.	5 49	5 55	morn.
25	Fri.	Columbus sailed from Cadiz, 1493.	5 50	5 53	0 26
26	Sat.	University of New York organized, 1832.	5 51	5 52	1 2
27	Sun.	Philadelphia taken by the British, 1776	5 52	5 50	1 47
28	Mon.	Massacre at Tappan, 1778.	5 53	5 49	2 54
29	Tues.	Michaelmas Day.	5 54	5 47	4 30
30	Wed	Battle of Miami Village, (Ohio,) 1790.	5 55	5 45	6 0

10th Month, OCTOBER 1857.

BEGINS ON THURSDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D.	H.	M		D.	H.	M.	
Full Moon,	3	10	13 morn.	New Moon,	17	4	42	even.
Last Quarter,	10	0	57 morn.	First Quarter,	25	9	9	ven.

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Thur.	First Steamboat to Albany, 1807.	5 56	5 43	7 9
2	Fri.	Major Andre hung at Tappan, 1780.	5 57	5 42	7 55
3	Sat.	Black Hawk died, 1838.	5 58	5 41	8 34
4	Sun.	Battle of Germantown, 1776.	5 59	5 39	9 9
5	Mon.	Battle of the Thames, 1813.	6 0	5 37	9 46
6	Tues.	Forts Clinton & Montgomery taken, '77.	6 1	5 36	10 26
7	Wed.	Second Battle of Saratoga, 1777.	6 2	5 34	11 5
8	Thur.	John Hancock died, 1793.	6 3	5 33	11 48
9	Fri.	Battle of Yorktown, 1781.	6 4	5 31	ev. 34
10	Sat.	Father Matthew born, 1790	6 5	5 29	1 26
11	Sun.	Battle of Camperdown, 1797.	6 6	5 28	2 36
12	Mon.	America discovered, 1492.	6 7	5 26	4 11
13	Tues.	Battle of Queenstown, 1812	6 8	5 25	5 48
14	Wed.	Celebration of Croton Aqueduct, 1842.	6 9	5 23	6 56
15	Thur.	Kingston burnt by the British, 1777.	6 10	5 22	7 43
16	Fri.	First newspaper published in N. Y., 1725.	6 11	5 20	8 22
17	Sat.	Surrender of Burgoyne, 1777.	6 12	5 19	8 55
18	Sun.	Proc. for disbanding the Am. Army, 1783.	6 13	5 17	9 27
19	Mon.	Cornwallis surrendered, 1781.	6 14	5 16	9 56
20	Tues.	Battle of Lyons Creek, Canada, 1814.	6 15	5 15	10 25
21	Wed.	Battle of Trafalgar, 1805.	6 16	5 13	10 56
22	Thur.	Battle of Red Bank, 1776.	6 18	5 12	11 26
23	Fri.	Daniel Webster died, 1852.	6 19	5 10	11 59
24	Sat.	Arrival of Wm. Penn in America, 1682.	6 20	5 8	morn.
25	Sun.	Tabasco bombarded by Com. Perry, 1846.	6 21	5 7	0 37
26	Mon.	Tariff convention at New York, 1831.	6 22	5 5	1 22
27	Tues.	Cholera appeared in Great Britain, 1831.	6 24	5 4	2 24
28	Wed.	Battle of White Plains, 1776.	6 25	5 3	3 53
29	Thur.	Raleigh beheaded, 1618.	6 26	5 2	5 17
30	Fri.	Maturin died, 1825.	6 27	5 0	6 26
31	Sat.	Reformation, 1517.	6 28	4 59	7 16

11th Month. NOVEMBER 1857.

BEGINS ON SUNDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
Full Moon,	1	8	1 even.	New Moon,	16	10	58 morn.
Last Quarter,	8	11	18 morn.	First Quarter,	24	0	37 even.

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Sun.	Earthquake at Lisbon, 1755.	6 29	4 59	7 57
2	Mon.	James K. Polk born, 1795.	6 30	4 58	8 37
3	Tues.	Lowth died, 1787.	6 31	4 57	9 19
4	Wed.	St. Clair's defeat, 1791.	6 32	4 56	10 3
5	Thur.	Gunpowder plot, 1605.	6 33	4 55	10 47
6	Fri.	Sea serpent seen off Milford, Ct., 1817.	6 35	4 53	11 33
7	Sat.	Battle of Tippecanoe, 1811.	6 36	4 52	ev. 25
8	Sun.	Cortez enters Mexico, 1519.	6 38	4 50	1 20
9	Mon.	Montreal taken, 1775.	6 39	4 49	2 27
10	Tues.	Com. McDonough died, 1825	6 40	4 48	3 51
11	Wed.	Lafayette escapes from Olmutz, 1794.	6 41	4 47	5 11
12	Thur.	Battle of Broad river, (Conn.), 1780.	6 43	4 46	6 17
13	Fri.	Curran died, 1817.	6 44	4 45	7 7
14	Sat.	Charles Carroll died, 1832.	6 45	4 44	7 49
15	Sun.	Articles of Confederation adopted, 1777.	6 47	4 43	8 26
16	Mon.	Fort Lee taken, 1776.	6 48	4 42	9 0
17	Tues.	Sea coal first used, 1307.	6 49	4 41	9 33
18	Wed.	Robin Hood died, 1247.	6 50	4 40	10 3
19	Thur.	Napoleon crowned by the Pope, 1804.	6 51	4 40	10 35
20	Fri.	St. Paul shipwrecked, 63.	6 52	4 39	11 10
21	Sat.	Gt. Britain blockaded by Napoleon, 1806.	6 54	4 38	11 43
22	Sun.	Robert Clive died, 1768.	6 55	4 38	morn.
23	Mon.	Elbridge Gerry died, 1814.	6 56	4 37	0 22
24	Tues.	John Knox died, 1572.	6 57	4 36	1 7
25	Wed.	New York evacuated by the British, 1783.	6 58	4 36	2 3
26	Thur.	Oliver Ellsworth, died. 1811.	6 59	4 35	3 8
27	Fri.	Great fire in Boston, 1676.	7 0	4 34	4 23
28	Sat.	Polish revolt, 1830.	7 1	4 34	5 29
29	Sun.	Cardinal Wolsey died, 1530.	7 2	4 33	6 28
30	Mon.	Com. app'd to examine U. S. Bank, 1818.	7 4	4 33	7 20

BEGINS ON TUESDAY,

AND HATH THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

MOON'S PHASES

	D.	H.	M.		D.	H.	M.
Full Moon,	1	6	1 morn.	First Quarter,	24	1	40 morn.
Last Quarter,	8	1	42 morn	Full Moon,	30	4	37 even.
New Moon,	16	6	5 morn.				

D. M.	DAYS WEEK.	REMARKS.	Sun rises. H. M.	Sun sets. H. M.	High water. H. M.
1	Tues.	Severely cold winter, 1778.	7 5	4 34	8 11
2	Wed.	Mariner's compass invented, 1300.	7 6	4 34	8 59
3	Thur.	Washington res'd his commission, 1783.	7 7	4 34	9 49
4	Fri.	Large fire in New York.	7 8	4 33	10 37
5	Sat.	Texas admitted into the Union, 1845.	7 9	4 33	11 30
6	Sun.	R. Island possessed by the British, 1776.	7 10	4 33	eve. 20
7	Mon.	Cicero killed, B. C. 43.	7 11	4 33	1 11
8	Tues.	Am. army crosses the Delaware, 1776.	7 12	4 33	2 6
9	Wed	Fire in Maiden lane, 1796.	7 13	4 33	3 4
10	Thur.	San Antonio surrendered, 1835.	7 14	4 33	4 12
11	Fri.	Pilgrims landed at Plymouth, 1620.	7 15	4 33	5 14
12	Sat.	Capture of General Lee, 1776.	7 15	4 33	6 14
13	Sun.	John Jay born in New York, 1745.	7 16	4 33	7 11
14	Mon.	Washington died, 1799.	7 17	4 34	7 53
15	Tues.	U. S. Post and Patent Offices dest., 1836.	7 17	4 34	8 35
16	Wed.	Great fire in New York, 1835.	7 18	4 34	9 11
17	Thur.	Sons of Liberty met, 1793.	7 18	4 34	9 49
18	Fri.	Battle of Mississinewa, (Ia..) 1812.	7 19	4 35	10 25
19	Sat.	Capture of Fort Majaca, 1813.	7 19	4 35	10 59
20	Sun.	U. S. ship Charleston taken, 1782.	7 20	4 36	11 35
21	Mon.	Wm. Blount exp. from the Senate, 1797.	7 20	4 36	morn.
22	Tues.	Embargo laid on vessels, 1808.	7 21	4 37	0 13
23	Wed.	Boston C'rt h'se & R'c'd office dest., 1747.	7 21	4 37	0 54
24	Thur.	Treaty signed at Ghent, 1814.	7 22	4 38	1 40
25	Fri.	Christmas.	7 22	4 38	2 29
26	Sat.	Battle of Trent, 1776.	7 23	4 39	3 27
27	Sun.	Treaty of Ghent ratified by G. B., 1814.	7 23	4 39	4 33
28	Mon.	Battle of Tampa Bay, (Fa.), 1835.	7 24	4 40	5 44
29	Tues.	John Jay President of Congress, 1778.	7 24	4 40	6 51
30	Wed.	Steamer Caroline burnt, 1837.	7 25	4 41	7 52
31	Thur.	Attack on Quebec, 1775.	7 25	4 42	8 47

A TABLE,

Showing the number of days from any day in one month, to the same day in any other month.

From..... To....	January....	February...	March.....	April.....	May.....	June.....	July.....	August.....	September..	October....	November...	December...
January....	365	31	59	90	120	151	181	212	243	273	304	334
February...	334	365	28	59	89	120	150	181	212	242	273	303
March.....	306	337	365	31	61	92	122	153	184	214	245	275
April.....	275	306	334	365	30	61	91	122	153	183	214	244
May.....	245	276	304	335	365	31	61	92	123	153	184	214
June.....	214	245	273	304	334	365	30	61	92	122	153	183
July.....	184	215	243	274	304	335	365	31	62	92	123	153
August.....	153	184	212	243	273	304	334	365	31	61	92	122
September..	122	153	181	212	212	273	303	334	365	30	61	91
October....	92	123	151	182	212	243	273	304	335	365	31	61
November...	61	92	120	151	181	212	212	273	304	334	365	30
December...	31	62	90	121	151	182	213	243	274	304	335	365

Example.—Look at April at the left hand, and September at the top, and the angle is 153.



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4. The annual election for charter officers shall commence on the second Tuesday in April, and the officers elected shall be sworn into office on the second Tuesday in May, thereafter; and all the provisions of law now in force in regard to the notification, duration, and conduct of elections for Members of Assembly, and in regard to the appointment, powers and duties of the inspectors, holding the same, shall apply to the annual election of charter officers

5. The first election for charter officers, after the passage of this law, shall take place on the second Tuesday in April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one; and all those persons who shall have been elected under the former laws regulating the election of charter officers, and shall be in office at the time of the passage of this law, shall continue in office until the officers elected under this law shall be entitled to be sworn into office.

6. The Board of Aldermen shall have power to direct a special election to be held, to supply the place of an Alderman whose seat shall become vacant by death, removal from the city, resignation, or otherwise; and the Board of Assistants shall also have power to direct a special election to supply any vacancy that may occur in the Board of Assistants; and in both cases, the person elected to supply the vacancy, shall hold his seat only for the residue of the term of office of his immediate predecessor.

7. The Boards shall meet in separate chambers, and a majority of each shall be a quorum to do business. Each Board shall appoint a President from its own body, and shall also choose its Clerk and other officers, determine the rules of its own proceedings, and be the judge of the qualifications of its own members. Each Board shall keep a journal of its proceedings, and the doors of each shall be kept open, except when the public welfare shall require secrecy; and all resolutions and reports of Committees which shall recommend any specific improvement involving the appropriation of public moneys, or taxing or assessing the citizens of said city, shall be published immediately after the adjournment of the Board, under the authority of the Common Council, in all the newspapers employed by the Corporation; and, whenever a vote is taken in relation thereto, the ayes and noes shall be called and published in the same manner.

8. Each Board shall have the authority to compel the attendance of absent members; to punish its members for disorderly behavior, and to expel a member, with the concurrence of two thirds of the members elected to the Board; and the member so expelled, shall, by such expulsion, forfeit all his rights and powers as an Alderman or Assistant Alderman.

9. The stated and occasional meetings of each Board of the Common Council shall be regulated by its own ordinances: and both Boards may meet on the same or on different days, as they may severally judge expedient.

10. Any law, ordinance or resolution of the Common Council, may originate in either Board, and when it shall have passed one Board, may be rejected or amended by the other.

11. No member of either Board shall, during the period for which he was elected, be appointed to, or be competent to hold any office for which the emoluments are paid from the city treasury, or by fees, directed to be paid by any ordinance or act of the Common Council, or be directly or indirectly interested in any contract, the expenses or considerations whereof are to be paid under any ordinance of the Common Council; but this section shall not be construed to deprive any Alderman or Assistant of any emolument or fees which he is entitled to by virtue of his office.

12 Every act, ordinance or resolution, which shall have passed the two Boards of the Common Council, before it shall take effect, shall be presented, duly certified, to the Mayor of the city for his approbation. If he approve, he shall sign it; if not, he shall return it, with his objections, to the Board in which it originated, within ten days thereafter; or if such Board be not then in session, at its next stated meeting The Board to which it shall be returned, shall enter the objections at large on their journal, and cause the same to be published in one or more of the public newspapers of the city.

13. The Board to which such act, ordinance or resolution, has been so returned, shall, after the expiration of not less than ten days thereafter, proceed to reconsider the same. If, after such reconsideration, a majority of the members elected to the Board shall agree to pass the same, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other Board, by which it shall be likewise reconsidered; and if approved by a majority of all the members elected to such Board, it shall take effect as an act or law of the Corporation. In all such cases the votes of both Boards shall be determined by ayes and noes, and the names of the persons voting for and against the passage of the measure reconsidered, shall be entered on the journal of each Board respectively.

14. If the Mayor shall not return any act, ordinance or resolution so presented to him, within the time above limited for that purpose, it shall take effect in the same manner as if he had signed it.

15. Neither the Mayor nor Recorder of the city of New York shall be a member of the Common Council thereof, after the second Tuesday of May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

16. Whenever there shall be a vacancy in the office of Mayor, and whenever the Mayor shall be absent from the city, or be prevented by sickness, or any other cause, from attending to the duties of his office, the President of the Board of Aldermen shall act as Mayor, and shall possess all the rights and powers of the Mayor during the continuance of such vacancy, absence or disability.

17. It shall be the duty of the Mayor,

First—To communicate to the Common Council, at least once a year, and oftener, if he shall deem it expedient, a general statement of the situation and condition of the city, in relation to its government, finances and improvements.

SECOND—To recommend to the adoption of the Common Council all such measures, connected with the police, security, health, cleanliness, and ornament of the city, and the improvement of its government and finances, as he shall deem expedient.

THIRD—To be vigilant and active in causing the laws and ordinances of the government of the city to be duly executed and enforced.

FOURTH—To exercise a constant supervision and control over the conduct and acts of all subordinate officers, and to receive and examine into all such complaints as may be preferred against any of them for violation or neglect of duty; and generally to perform all such duties as may be prescribed to him by the charter and city ordinances, and the laws of this state and the United States.

18. Annual and occasional appropriations shall be made, by proper ordinances of the Common Council, for every branch and object of city expenditure, nor shall any money be drawn from the city treasury, except the same shall have been previously appropriated to the purposes for which it was drawn.

19 The Common Council shall not have authority to borrow any sums of money whatever on the credit of the Corporation, except in anticipation of the revenue of the year in which such loan shall be made, unless authorized by a special act of the legislature.

20. It shall be the duty of the Common Council to publish, two months before the annual election of charter officers, in each year, for the general information of the citizens of New York, a full and detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Corporation during the year ending on the first day of the month in which such publication was made; and in every such statement the different sources of city revenue, and the amount received from each; the several appropriations made by the Common Council, the objects for which the same were made, and the amount of moneys expended under each; the moneys borrowed on the credit of the Corporation; the authority under which each loan was made, and the terms on which the same was obtained, shall be clearly and particularly specified.

21. The executive business of the Corporation of New York, shall hereafter be performed by distinct departments, which it shall be the duty of the Common Council to organize and appoint for that purpose.

22. It shall be the duty of the Common Council to provide for the accountability of all officers and other persons to whom the receipt or expenditure of the funds of the city shall be intrusted, by requiring from them sufficient security for the performance of their duties or trust, which security should be annually renewed; but the security first taken shall remain in force until new security shall be given.

23. The Clerk of the Board of Aldermen shall, by virtue of his office, be Clerk of the Common Council, and shall perform all the duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the Common Council, except such as shall be assigned to the Clerk of the Board of Assistant Aldermen; and it shall be

his duty to keep open for inspection, at all reasonable times, the records and minutes of the proceedings of the Common Council, except such as shall be specially ordered otherwise.

24. The division of the Common Council into two Boards shall not take effect until the officers to be elected under this law shall enter on the duties of their office. Each Board shall hold its first meeting, for the purpose of organizing, on the second Tuesday of May in each year, at which time the Mayor, or Clerk of the Common Council shall attend, by whom the oath of office shall be administered to the members elected. In the absence of the Mayor and Clerk, such oath may be administered by the Recorder, or the first Judge of the city, or by any of the Justices of the Superior Court.

25. None of the provisions of this act, except the eighteenth, nineteenth, twentieth and twenty-second sections, shall be construed as applying to the Common Council as now constituted.

26. Such parts of the charter of the city of New York, and of the several acts of the Legislature amending the same, as are not inconsistent with the provisions of this law, shall not be construed as repealed, modified, or in any manner affected thereby, but shall continue and remain in full force.



AN ACT TO AMEND

THE

CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED APRIL 2, 1849, "THREE-FIFTHS BEING PRESENT."

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. The legislative power of the Corporation of the city of New York shall continue to be vested in a Board of Aldermen and a Board of Assistant Aldermen, who, together, shall form the Common Council of the city. The Board of Aldermen shall consist of one Alderman from each ward, who shall be elected by the people of the respective wards, for two years. The Board of Assistant Aldermen shall consist of one Assistant Alderman from each ward, who shall be elected in like manner, and shall hold their office for one year.

§ 2. The election for charter officers shall be held on the day of the general state election, when all charter officers, eligible by the people, shall be chosen, and the officers who shall be elected, shall be sworn into office on the first Monday of January thereafter; and the laws of the state, regulating elections, shall apply to elections of charter officers; but the Common Council may, by law, extend the time for the canvass of the vote.

The Mayor shall hold his office for the period of two years.

§ 3 The Common Council, during the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty, may hold its sessions as often as each Board shall, by resolution, appoint, and thereafter the Common Council shall annually hold only three stated sessions of not exceeding one month each, commencing on the first Monday of January, May and September. The Mayor may convene the Common Council, or the Board of Aldermen only, at any time between the sessions, if, in his judgment, any exigency shall have arisen to render such a proceeding necessary, on the request, in writing, of a majority of the members elected to each Board, specifying the purposes for which such meeting is called; in which case, the action of the Common Council shall be confined to the matters in reference to which it shall have been so convened, or to such other matters as may be submitted by the Mayor for its consideration, during such session; and the respective Boards may adjourn, from day to day, until such business shall be completed.

§ 4. The Boards shall sit in separate chambers, and the doors shall be kept open, except when the public welfare shall require secrecy. A majority of each shall be a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and may compel the attendance of absent mem-

bers. Each Board shall appoint a President from its own body; shall choose its Clerk and other officers; determine the rules of its own proceedings; be the judge of the election returns and qualifications of its own members; keep a journal of its proceedings and have power to direct special elections to fill its own vacancies; to compel the attendance of members; to punish them for disorderly conduct, and expel a member by a vote of two thirds of all the members elected, after five days' notice, and opportunity of being heard has been given to him; but such resolution of expulsion shall be of no effect unless it contain a provision for a special election within two weeks thereafter to supply such vacancy; provided, however, that such special election shall not be ordered unless there be at least two months of the term of the expelled member unexpired. The Clerk of the Board of Aldermen shall, by virtue of his office, be Clerk of the Common Council, and shall perform all the duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the Common Council, except such as shall be assigned to the Clerk of the Board of Assistant Aldermen; and it shall be his duty to keep open for inspection, at all reasonable times, the records and minutes of the proceedings of the Common Council, except such as shall be especially ordered otherwise. The two Boards shall have concurrent powers, and a negative on each other's proceedings, and shall in all cases act as separate bodies, and shall not appoint Joint Committees, except a Committee on Accounts. Each Board may originate, amend, concur in, or reject any law, ordinance, or resolution; but no law shall pass either Board, except by a majority of the members elected. Neither Board shall adjourn for a longer period than three days, except by a resolution, to be concurred in by the other body.

§ 5. It shall be the duty of the Clerks of the respective Boards, to publish all ordinances, and amendments of ordinances which shall be passed, and also the proceedings, in the newspapers employed by the Corporation, except such parts as may require secrecy; and whenever a vote shall be taken in either Board upon the passage of a resolution or ordinance which shall contemplate any specific improvement, or involve the sale, disposition or income therefrom, or lay any tax or assessment; such resolution or ordinance shall, before the same shall be sent to the other Board, and immediately after the adjournment of the Board, at which the same shall have been passed, be published, with the ayes and noes, with the names of the persons voting for and against the same, in at least two newspapers, as a part of the proceedings; and no act, resolution or ordinance which shall have passed one Board, shall be acted upon by the other Board on the same day, unless by unanimous consent, except in case of invasion, insurrection, or pestilence.

§ 6. If any ordinance or resolution passed by each Board, as provided by sections twelve and thirteen of the amended charter of one thousand eight hundred and thirty, shall not be returned by the Mayor within ten days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall become a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the close

of the session of the Common Council shall prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law until the expiration of five days after the commencement of the next session of the Common Council, by whom the ordinance or resolution shall be reconsidered, if returned within such time, and be disposed of in the same manner, and with the like effect, as if presented at the preceding session.

§ 7. No money shall be drawn from the city treasury except the same shall have been previously appropriated to the purpose for which it is drawn; and all appropriations shall be based upon specific and detailed statements, in writing, of the several heads of the departments, through the Comptroller.

§ 8. The Board of Assistant Aldermen shall have the sole power of impeachment of all city officers, not otherwise provided for, and pending such impeachment, and until the final disposition thereof, the party impeached shall not exercise any of the functions of his office. The Board of Aldermen shall have the sole power to try all impeachments; when sitting for that purpose, they shall be on oath or affirmation, truly and impartially to try the impeachment, according to evidence; and no person shall be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of all the members elected to said Board. Judgment, in case of impeachment, shall not extend farther than removal from office, and disqualification to hold any office under the city charter; but the party convicted shall be liable to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment according to law.

§ 9. The executive power of the Corporation shall be vested in the Mayor, the heads of departments, and such other executive officers as shall be, from time to time, created by law, and neither the Common Council nor any Committee or member thereof, shall perform any executive business whatever, except such as is, or shall be, especially imposed on them by the law of the state, and except that the Board of Aldermen may approve or reject the nominations made to them, as hereinafter provided.

§ 10. There shall continue to be an Executive Department, which shall be known as the "Police Department," and the Mayor of the city shall be the head officer thereof. There shall be a bureau in this department, and the chief officer thereof shall be denominated the "Chief of Police."

§ 11. There shall be an Executive Department, which shall be denominated "the Department of Finance," which shall have control of all the fiscal concerns of the Corporation, and shall prescribe the forms of keeping and rendering all city accounts whatever; and all accounts rendered to or kept in the several departments of the city government, shall be subject to the inspection and revision of the officers of this department. It shall settle and adjust all claims whatsoever by the Corporation or against them, and all accounts whatsoever, in which the Corporation is concerned, either as debtor or creditor. The chief officer of this department shall be called "the Comptroller of the City of New York." There shall be a bureau in this department for the collection of revenue accruing from taxes, the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Receiver of Taxes," who shall nomi-

nate, and with the advice and consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint, so many clerks as shall be authorized by the Common Council; provided that nothing in this act contained shall be held to interfere with the tenure of office of the present Receiver of Taxes and Deputy Receiver of Taxes, as established by the act passed April 11, 1848. There shall be a bureau in this department for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interests on bonds and mortgages, and for the performance of such other duties as may be directed by the Common Council, the chief officer of which shall be called the "Collector of the City Revenue." There shall be a bureau in this department for the reception of all moneys paid into the treasury of the city, and for the payment of moneys therefrom on the warrant drawn by the Comptroller, and countersigned by the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Chamberlain of the City of New York."

§ 12. There shall be an Executive Department under the denomination of the "Street Department," which shall have cognizance of opening, regulating and paving streets; building and repairing wharves and piers; digging and building wells, and the construction of public roads, when done by assessment; the filling up of sunken lots, under ordinances of the Common Council from the City Inspector's Department. It shall also have cognizance of collecting the assessments connected with such expenditure; the chief officer shall be called the "Street Commissioner." There shall be a bureau in this department for the collection of assessments, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Collector of Assessments," and his assistants, "Deputy Collectors." There shall be a bureau in this department, the chief officer of which shall be called the "Superintendent of Wharves."

§ 13. There shall be an Executive Department to be denominated the "Department of Repairs and Supplies," which shall have cognizance of all repairs and supplies of and for roads and avenues, public pavements, repairs to public buildings, to fire engines and apparatus of Fire Department, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Commissioner of Repairs and Supplies." There shall be four bureaux or branches in this department, and the chief officers shall be respectively denominated the "Superintendent of Roads," "Superintendent of Repairs to Public Buildings," "Superintendent of Pavements," and "Chief Engineer of the Fire Department."

§ 14. There shall be an Executive Department, to be denominated the "Department of Streets and Lamps," which shall have cognizance of procuring the necessary supplies for, and of lighting the public streets and places, lighted at the expense of the Corporation, and of cleaning the public streets, and of collecting the revenue arising from the sale of manure, and also of the transferring of butchers' stalls in the public markets. The chief officer thereof shall be denominated the "Commissioner of Streets and Lamps." There shall be three bureaux in this department, and the chief officers thereof shall be called the "Superintendent of Lamps and Gas," "Superintendent of Streets," and "Superintendent of Markets."

§ 15. There shall be an Executive Department under the denomination

of the "Croton Aqueduct Board," which shall have charge of the Croton Aqueduct, and all structures, and works, and property connected with the supply and distribution of water to the city of New York, and the underground drainage of the same; and of the public sewers of said city; and the collection of the revenues arising from the sale of the water, with such other powers and duties as shall or may be prescribed by law; the chief officers thereof shall be called the President, Engineer and Assistant Commissioner, who, together, shall form the Croton Aqueduct Board, and hold their offices for five years. There shall be a bureau in this department for the collection of the revenues derived from the sale of the water, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Water Register."

§ 16. There shall be an Executive Department, under the denomination of "City Inspector's Department," which shall have cognizance of all matters relative to the public health of said city, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "City Inspector."

§ 17. There shall be an Executive Department known as the "Almshouse Department," which shall have cognizance of all matters relating to the Alms-house and prisons of said city; the chief officers thereof shall be called the "Governors of the Alms-house." They shall consist of the number, derive and hold their offices, and be charged with the duties, powers, and responsibilities as prescribed by the act, entitled "An act to provide for the government of the Alms-house and Penitentiary, in the City and County of New York."

§ 18. There shall be an Executive Department known as the "Law Department," which shall have the charge of, and conduct all the law business of the Corporation, and of the departments thereof, and all other law business in which the city shall be interested, when so ordered by the Corporation; and shall have the charge of and conduct the legal proceedings necessary in opening, widening or altering streets; and draw the leases, deeds, and other papers connected with the Finance Department, and the chief officer thereof shall be called the "Counsel to the Corporation." There shall be a bureau in this department, the chief officer of which shall be denominated the "Corporation Attorney." There shall be a bureau in this department, the chief officer of which shall be called the "Public Administrator."

§ 19. It shall be lawful for the Common Council of said city to establish such other departments and bureaux as they may deem the public interest may require, and to assign to them and those herein created, such duties as they may direct, not inconsistent with this act; but no expense shall be incurred by any of the departments or officers thereof, whether the object of expenditures shall have been ordered by the Common Council or not, unless an appropriation shall have been previously made concerning such expense; and no member of the Common Council, head of department, chief of bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, shall be directly or indirectly interested in any contract, work or business, or the sale of any article, the expense, price, or consideration of

which is paid from the city treasury, or by any assessment levied by any act or ordinance of the Common Council, nor in the purchase of any real estate or other property belonging to the Corporation, or which shall be sold for taxes or assessments.

§ 20. The heads of departments, except the Croton Aqueduct Board, shall be elected, every three years, by the people. In case of vacancy of any of said heads of departments, by removal from office or otherwise, the Mayor, by and with the advice and consent of the Board of Aldermen, shall appoint a person to fill the same until the vacancy shall be filled by the electors at the next charter election. The heads of departments shall nominate, and by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint the heads of bureaux in their several departments, except the Chamberlain of the city of New York, the Receiver of Taxes, and the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department. The heads of departments shall also in like manner appoint the clerks in their immediate offices. The heads of bureaux shall nominate, and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint all clerks in their respective bureaux. The Mayor shall nominate, and by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint the Chamberlain of the city of New York, the chief officers of the Croton Aqueduct Department, and the Receiver of Taxes. The Chief of the Fire Department shall be elected in the same manner as is now, or may hereafter be prescribed by law. The number of officers and clerks in the several departments shall be prescribed by the Common Council. The terms of all charter officers, not prescribed by law of the state, shall be fixed by the Common Council. All officers whose appointments are not otherwise provided for, shall be elected or appointed in such manner as the Common Council shall by law prescribe. Any officer of the city government, except the Mayor and members of the Common Council, may be removed from office by concurrent resolution of both branches of the Common Council, provided that no removal shall take place until the party sought to be removed has had an opportunity to be heard in his defence, and unless two-thirds of the whole number of both branches vote therefor; and provided, also, that the cause of such removal shall be entered at large upon the journals of both branches of the Common Council. Any head of the department may remove any clerk in his department, or any bureau thereof, with the consent of the Mayor.

§ 21. The several Executive Departments, and the officers and clerks thereof, shall be subject to the legislative regulation and direction of the Common Council, so far as the same shall not be inconsistent with this act; and the duties thereof shall be performed in accordance with the charter and laws and ordinances of the city. The Mayor, and each Board of the Common Council, may at any time require the opinion in writing of the head of any department, upon any subject relating to his department, or any information possessed by him in relation thereto. And every head of department shall report in writing to the Common Council, at the commencement of each stated session, the state of his department, with such

suggestions in relation to the improvement thereof, and to the public business connected therewith, as he may deem advisable.

§ 22. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the office of Assessor, by death, removal from the ward, resignation or otherwise, the Board of Assessors shall fill the same by the appointment of a citizen of the ward in which the vacancy shall occur, until the vacancy shall be supplied by the electors of the ward at the next election. And all assessments and awards shall be open to public inspection at least twenty days, by public notice thereof, before being certified to the proper department: and the assessments made by the assessors for all taxes, shall be made between the first day of January and the first day of April in each year.

§ 23. All contracts to be made or let by authority of the Common Council, for work to be done or supplies to be furnished, and all sales of personal property in the custody of the several departments or bureaux, shall be made by the appropriate heads of departments, under such regulations as shall be established by ordinances of the Common Council. Every person elected or appointed to any office under the city government, shall take and subscribe an oath or affirmation before the Mayor, faithfully to perform the duties of his office, which oath or affirmation shall be filed in the Mayor's office.

§ 24. All officers or other persons to whom the receipts or expenditures of the funds of the city, or fees or funds payable into the city treasury, shall be intrusted, shall give sufficient security for the faithful performance of their duty, in such form and amount as the Common Council may, by ordinance, prescribe; which shall be annually renewed. No security shall be deemed canceled or lost for want of renewal or reappointment.

§ 25. Any officer of the city government, or person or persons employed in any department thereof, who shall wilfully violate any of the provisions of this charter, or commit any fraud, or convert any of the public property to his own use, or knowingly permit any other person so to convert it, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and in addition to the penalties imposed by law shall forfeit his office, and be excluded forever after from receiving or holding any office under the city charter. And any person who shall wilfully swear falsely in any oath or affirmation required by this act, shall be guilty of perjury.

§ 26. The first election of officers to be elected under this act, shall be held at the next general state election. The Mayor who shall be elected at the charter election, on the second Tuesday in April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, shall hold his office until the first Monday of January, 1851, and the Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen who shall be elected at that election, shall hold their office until the first Monday of January, 1850, and no longer All officers of said city government who shall be in office when this act shall take effect, shall hold their offices and execute the duties thereof, until their successors shall be duly qualified.

§ 27. The seventh section of the act, entitled "An act to amend the

charter of the city of New York," passed April 7th, 1830, and all provisions of law and of charter, which are inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

§ 28. All such parts of the charter of the city of New York, and the several acts of the legislature amending the same, or in any manner affecting the same, as are inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed; but so much and such parts thereof as are not inconsistent with the provisions of this law, shall not be construed as repealed, altered or modified, or in any form affected thereby, but shall continue and remain in full force and virtue.

§ 29. This act shall be submitted for the approval of the electors of the city and county of New York, at an election to be held in said city, on the second Tuesday of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, for which the Common Council of the city shall make the necessary arrangements. The tickets which shall be polled at the said election, shall contain either the words, "In favor of Amendments to Charter," or "Against Amendments to Charter," and if a majority of all the persons voting thereon at the said election shall vote the ticket "In favor of Amendments to Charter," this act shall become a law: if a majority of such persons shall vote "Against Amendments to Charter," this act shall be void.

§ 30. In case this act shall be approved of by a majority of the electors of said city, as aforesaid, and become a law, it shall go into effect on the first day of June next: and the terms of office of all the officers elected at such election on the second Tuesday of April next, shall expire on the days and in the manner hereinbefore provided.

AN ACT

TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK," PASSED APRIL 2, 1849.

PASSED JULY 11, 1851.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. The third section of said act shall be amended by striking out the following words: "and thereafter the Common Council shall annually hold only three stated sessions of not exceeding one month each, commencing on the first Monday of January, May and September," and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "and thereafter the Common Council shall hold their sessions monthly, commencing on the first Monday of each month," but at no such session shall the members be entitled to draw any per diem allowance for a longer period than eight days.

§ 2. Section twenty is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "The heads of departments, except the Croton Aqueduct Board, shall be elected every three years by the people. In case of vacancy of any of said heads of departments, by removal from office or otherwise, the Mayor, by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, shall appoint a person to fill the same, until the vacancy shall be filled by the electors at the next charter election. The heads of departments shall nominate, and by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint the heads of bureaux in their several departments, except the Chamberlain of the city of New York, the Receiver of Taxes, and the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department; but in case the Mayor shall neglect or refuse to nominate the chief officer of a bureau in the Police Department, designated as the Chief of Police, for five days after the commencement of the session of the Common Council, to be holden in August, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, it shall be the duty of the Board of Aldermen to appoint such officer forthwith. And in case the Mayor shall make such nomination, and it shall be rejected by the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Aldermen shall have power, at any regular session of the Common Council, to appoint such officer, provided that five days of any such session shall elapse without another nomination being made by the Mayor, and that no appointment of such officer shall have been made as heretofore provided; the heads of departments shall nominate, and by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint the clerks in their immediate offices. The heads of bureaux shall nominate, and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint all clerks in their respective bureaux. The Mayor shall nominate, and by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen, appoint the Chamberlain of the city of New York, the chief officers of the Croton Aqueduct Department, and the Receiver of Taxes. The Chief of the Fire Department shall be elected in the same manner as is now or may hereafter be prescribed by law. The number of officers and clerks in the several departments shall be prescribed by the Common Council; the terms of all charter officers, not prescribed by the law of the State, shall be fixed by the Common Council."

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
Secretary's Office. } I certify that I have compared the foregoing with an original law on file in this office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said original.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at the city of Albany, [L. S.] this seventeenth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

A. G. JOHNSON,
Dep. Secretary of State.

AN ACT

IN RELATION TO THE CHIEF OF POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED APRIL 10, 1852.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. All that portion of section second of an act entitled "An act to amend the charter of the city of New York," passed July 11, 1851, relative to the appointment of the Chief of Police, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

AN ACT

FURTHER TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED APRIL 12, 1853.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. The legislative powers of the Corporation of the city of New York, shall be vested in a Board of Aldermen and a Board of Councilmen, who, together, shall form the Common Council of the city.

The Board of Aldermen shall consist of one Alderman from each ward, who shall be elected by the people of the respective wards for two years. The Board of Councilmen shall consist of sixty members, to be elected from as many districts, who shall be sworn into office on the first Monday of January next succeeding their election, and shall hold their offices for one year, and shall receive the same compensation as the Aldermen.

§ 2. The members of the Board of Aldermen, first elected under this act, shall be classified as follows: on or before the first Tuesday in December, succeeding the next general election, the Clerk of the city and county of New York shall, in the presence of the Mayor, Recorder and Comptroller, or a majority thereof, draw from a box to be provided for the purpose, in which two ballots shall have been deposited, having thereon, respectively, either the word "Odd," or the word "Even;" one ballot, if the ballot so drawn shall have thereon the word "Odd,', then the term of the office of the Aldermen chosen from the wards having an odd numerical designation, shall expire on the first Monday of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five; and in case the ballot having thereon the word "Even" shall be drawn, then the term of office of the Aldermen having an even

numerical designation, shall expire on the first Monday of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six. At all subsequent elections Aldermen shall be elected for the full term of two years.

§ 3. For the election of Councilmen, the said city shall be divided into sixty districts, of contiguous territory, and as near as may be of equal population, each of which shall choose one Councilman. The Common Council shall so divide the city into such districts, on or before the first Monday in September next; and thereafter, within one year after the State and National Census shall have been completed, the Common Council shall, in like manner, redistrict said city.

§ 4. Every act, resolution, or ordinance, appropriating money, or involving the expenditure of money, not rendered imperative under the provisions of any State law, shall originate in the Board of Councilmen; but the Board of Aldermen may propose, or concur with amendments, as in other cases.

§ 5. A vote of two thirds of all the members elected to each Board, shall be necessary to pass any act, ordinance or resolution of the Common Council, which shall have been returned by the Mayor, with his objections.

§ 6 No Alderman shall hereafter sit, or act as judge in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, or in the Courts of General or Special Sessions, in the city and county of New York; but this section shall not prevent his exercising the powers of a magistrate, in the arrest, commitment, or bailing of offenders, except that he cannot let to bail, or discharge a person arrested or committed by another magistrate.

§ 7. All ferries, docks, piers and slips shall be leased; and all leases and sales of public property and franchises (other than grants of lands under water, to which the owner of the upland shall have a pre-emption right,) shall be made by public auction, and to the highest bidder, who will give adequate security, (no lease hereafter given, except as the same may be required by covenants of the Corporation already existing, shall be for a longer period than ten years; and all ferry leases shall be revocable, by the Common Council, for mismanagement or neglect to provide adequate accommodations.) All persons requiring any ferry lease or franchise, under the provisions of this act, shall be required to purchase, at a fair appraised valuation, the boats, buildings, and other property of the former lessees, actually necessary for the purposes of such ferry. Previous notice of all sales referred to in this section, shall be given under the direction of the Comptroller, for thirty days, in the newspapers employed by the Corporation.

§ 8. No bids shall be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contracts, or who is a defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

§ 9. No money shall be expended by the Corporation for any celebration, procession, or entertainment of any kind, or on any occasion, except for the celebration of the anniversary of the National Independence, the

twenty-fifth of November, "Evacuation Day," and the anniversary of the birthday of Washington, unless by the vote of three fourths of all the members elected in each Board of the Common Council.

§ 10. No additional allowance beyond the legal claim, under any contract with the Corporation, or for any service on its account, or in its employment, shall ever be allowed.

§ 11. The officers of the police and policemen shall hereafter be appointed by a Board of Commissioners, consisting of the Mayor, Recorder and City Judge.

§ 12. All work to be done, and all supplies to be furnished by the Corporation, involving an expenditure of more than two hundred and fifty dollars, shall be by contract, founded on sealed bids or proposals, made in compliance with public notice, for the full period of ten days; and all such contracts, when given, shall be given to the lowest bidder, with adequate security. All such bids or proposals shall be opened by the Heads of Departments advertising for them, in the presence of the Comptroller, and such of the parties making them as may desire to be present.

§ 13. There shall be a bureau in the Department of Finance, to be called the "Auditing Bureau," and the chief officer thereof shall be the "Auditor of Accounts." It shall revise, audit and settle all accounts in which the city is concerned, as debtor or creditor; it shall keep an account of each claim for or against the Corporation and of the sums allowed upon each, and certify the same, with reasons therefor, to the Comptroller. The Comptroller shall report to the Common Council, once in ninety days, the name and decision of the auditor upon the same, together with the final action of the Comptroller thereon. All moneys drawn from the city treasury shall be upon vouchers for the expenditure thereof, examined and allowed by the auditor, and approved by the Comptroller.

§ 14. Every person who shall promise, offer, or give, or cause or aid, or abet in causing to be promised, offered or given, or furnish, or agree to furnish, in whole or in part, to be promised, offered, or given to any member of the Common Council, or to any officer of the Corporation after his election as such member, or before or after he shall have qualified and taken his seat, any money, goods, right in action, or other property, or any thing of value, or any pecuniary advantage, present or prospective, with intent to influence his vote, opinion, judgment, or action on any question, matter, cause, or proceeding which may be then pending, or may by law be brought before him, in his official capacity, shall, upon conviction, be imprisoned in a state prison for a term not exceeding ten years, or shall be fined not exceeding five thousand dollars, or both, in the discretion of the court. Every officer in this section enumerated, who shall accept any such gift, or any promise or undertaking to make the same, under any agreement or undertaking that his vote, opinion, judgment, or action shall be influenced thereby, or shall be given in any particular manner, or upon any particular side of any question, matter, cause or proceeding then pending, or which may by law be brought before him in his official capacity,

shall, upon conviction, be disqualified from holding any public office, trust or appointment, under the charter of the city of New York, and shall forfeit his office, and shall be punished by imprisonment in a state prison, not exceeding ten years, or by a fine not exceeding five thousand dollars, or both, in the discretion of the court. Every person offending against either of the provisions of this section shall be a competent witness against any other person offending in the same transaction, and may be compelled to appear and give evidence before any grand jury, or in any court, in the same manner as other persons; but the testimony so given shall not be used in any prosecution or proceeding, civil or criminal, against the person so testifying.

§ 15. No contract by the Supervisors shall be valid unless expressly authorized by statute, and such as are authorized must be made in the manner provided in the twelfth section of this act.

§ 16. All ordinary appropriations made for the support and government of the Alms-house Department shall, before the same are finally made, be submitted by the Governors of the Alms-house to a Board of Commissioners, consisting of the Mayor, Recorder, Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Board of Councilmen; if the said Commissioners approve of the appropriations, they shall immediately report the same to the Board of Supervisors; if they shall disapprove of the same, they shall return them, with their objections, to the Governors of the Alms-house for reconsideration; and in case the said Governors shall, upon a reconsideration, adhere by a vote of two thirds of all the Governors then in office, to the original appropriations, they shall return them to the Commissioners, whose duty it shall be to report to the Board of Supervisors.

§ 17. The Board of Education shall also submit, in like manner, all appropriations required by them to the Commissioners named in the last preceding section; and said appropriations shall be subject to all the provisions of said section, so far as the same may be applicable.

§ 18. All such parts of the charter of the city of New York, and the several acts of the legislature amending the same, or in any manner affecting the same, as are inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed; but so much and such parts thereof as are not inconsistent with the provisions of this law, shall not be construed as repealed, altered or modified, or in any form affected thereby, but shall continue and remain in full force and effect.

§ 19. The power now vested in the Mayor, Aldermen, and Assistant Aldermen, in granting and revoking tavern licenses, together with all other powers as Excise Commissioners, shall be hereafter vested in the Mayor, with the Alderman and Councilman representing the district in which the premises of the party licensed or to be licensed may be located.

§ 20. This act shall be submitted for the approval of the electors of the city and county of New York, at an election to be held in said city, on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in June, one thousand eight

hundred and fifty-three. The tickets which shall be polled at such election shall contain either the words "In favor of Amendments to Charter," or "Against Amendments to Charter;" and if a majority of all the persons voting thereon at such election shall vote the ticket "In favor of Amendments to Charter," this act shall become a law; if a majority of such electors shall vote the ticket "Against Amendments to Charter," this act shall be void.

§ 21. The Common Council are hereby authorized and directed to make all necessary arrangements, by ordinance or otherwise, for the conduct and regulation of all elections authorized under the provisions of this act, and in conformity, as far as may be, to the general election laws.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
Secretary's Office. } I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify the same to be a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of the original law.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at the city of Albany,
[L. S.] this sixteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three.

ARCH'D CAMPBELL,
Deputy Secretary of State.

AN ACT

SUPPLEMENTARY TO AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT FURTHER TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK:" PASSED APRIL 12, 1853.

PASSED JUNE 14, 1853—THREE-FIFTHS BEING PRESENT.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. The second section of the act entitled "An act further to amend the charter of the city of New York," passed April 12, 1853, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 2. The members of the Board of Aldermen first elected under this act shall be classified as follows: on or before the first Tuesday in December succeeding the next general election, the Clerk of the city and county of New York shall, in presence of the Mayor, Recorder and Comptroller, or a majority of them, draw from a box, to be provided for the purpose, in which two ballots shall have been deposited, having thereon respectively, either the word "Odd," or the word "Even;" one ballot, if the ballot so drawn shall have thereon the word "Odd," then the term of office of the Aldermen chosen from wards having an odd numerical designation, shall

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§ 2 Until the Aldermen and Councilmen to be chosen at the next general election in and for said city, as in the said act provided, shall enter on their offices, the Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen now in office in said city, shall continue to form the Common Council thereof, subject, however, to all the provisions of the said act.

§ 3. Hereafter, Courts of Oyer and Terminer, in and for said city may be held by a Justice of the Supreme Court, and Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for said city by the Recorder, or City Judge of said city; and when either of the said courts shall be so held by a single judge, all the powers and jurisdiction appertaining by law to such court, shall be possessed and exercised by such judge.

§ 4. This act, and the act to which it is supplementary, shall commence and take effect as laws immediately.

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IV. Whenever the President may wish to leave the chair he shall have power to substitute a member in his place, provided that substitution shall not continue beyond the day on which it is made.

V. The President, in all cases, has the right of voting; and when the Board shall be equally divided, including his vote, the question shall be lost.

VI. Whenever it shall be moved and carried, that the Board go into Committee of the Whole, the President shall leave the chair, and shall appoint a Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, who shall report the proceedings of the Committee. The rules of the Board shall be observed in the Committee of the Whole, except the rules respecting a call for the ayes and noes, and limiting the time for speaking.

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PRESIDENT.

C. JOHN CLANCY

Reporter.

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Clerk & Assistant.

Sergt at Arms.



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X. A motion to refer or lay on the table, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments to the main question.

XI. When a question has been once put and decided, it shall be in order for any member who voted in the majority to move for the reconsideration thereof; but no motion for the reconsideration of any vote shall be made after the ordinance, resolution, or act shall have gone out of the possession of the Board; and no motion for reconsideration shall be taken more than once.

XII. No act, resolution, or ordinance sent to this Board from the other Board for concurrence, shall be acted upon the same day it passed the other Board, unless by unanimous consent of the members present, except in case of invasion, insurrection or pestilence.

XIII It shall be the duty of the Clerk to publish all ordinances and amendments of ordinances which shall be passed, and also the proceedings, in the newspapers employed by the Corporation, except such parts as may require secrecy; and whenever a vote shall be taken upon the passage of a resolution or ordinance which shall contemplate any specific improvement, or involve the sale, disposition or appropriation of public property, or lay any tax or assessment, he shall, before the same is sent to the other Board, and immediately after the adjournment, cause the same to be published, with the ayes and noes, with the names of the persons voting for and against the same, in at least two newspapers, as a part of the proceedings, and shall thereafter certify and send to the other Board every act, ordinance and resolution which has originated in and passed this Board, and which requires a concurrent vote of the Board of Councilmen; and to deliver to the Mayor, certified in like manner, all such ordinances and resolutions which shall have been received from the Board of Councilmen, and concurred in by this Board, and which are required to be submitted to him for approval, and shall certify to the other Board the proceedings of this Board, in reference to all acts or business originating with the other Board.

XIV. The President shall preserve order and decorum, and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Board.

XV. Every member, previous to his speaking, shall rise from his seat and address himself to the President.

XVI. When two or more members shall rise at once, the President shall name the member who is first to speak.

XVII. No person shall speak more than twice to the same question, without leave of the Board; nor more than once, until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

XVIII. While a member is speaking no member shall entertain any private discourse, or pass between him and the chair.

XIX. No question on a motion shall be debated or put, unless the same be seconded. When a motion is seconded, it shall be stated by the President before debate; and every such motion shall be reduced to writing, if any member desire it.

XX. After a motion is stated by the President, it shall be deemed to be in the possession of the Board; but it may be withdrawn at any time by the mover, before decision or amendment.

XXI. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, unless

1. To amend it.
2. To commit it.
3. To lay on the table.
4. To postpone it.
5. For the previous question, or
6. To adjourn.

XXII. A motion to lay on the table shall be decided without amendment or debate, and a motion to commit, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and debate of the main question.

XXIII. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

XXIV. The previous question, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and debate, and shall be put in this form—"Shall the main question be now put?"

XXV. Every member who shall be present when a question is put, shall vote for or against the same, unless the Board shall excuse him, unless he be immediately interested in the question, in which case he shall not vote; but no member shall be permitted to vote upon a question when a division is called, unless present when his name is called in its regular order.

XXVI. A member called to order, shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain; and the Board, if appealed to, shall decide on the case, but without debate. If there be no appeal, the decision of the Chair shall be submitted to.

XXVII. All questions shall be put in the order they are moved, except in filling up blanks—the longest time and the largest sum shall be first put.

XXVIII. The ayes and noes shall be taken at the request of a member, and the name of the member calling for the division shall be entered on the minutes.

XXIX. Upon a division of the Board, the names of those who vote for, and those who vote against the question shall be entered upon the minutes.

XXX. All appointments of officers shall be by ballot, unless dispensed with by consent of the Board; and a majority of the whole number present shall be necessary to constitute a choice.

XXXI. No member shall absent himself without permission from the President.

XXXII. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered by the Board.

XXXIII. Committees appointed to report on any subject referred to them by the Board, shall report the facts in relation to the subject referred, with their opinion thereon, in writing, and shall attach thereto all resolutions, petitions, remonstrances, and other papers relative to the matter referred; and no report shall be received, except the same be signed by a majority of the Committee, but nothing contained in this rule shall prevent a minority of any Committee from submitting a report. And no report shall be

printed; unless by the express direction of the Board, specifying the number of copies to be printed.

XXXIV. Whenever the doors are directed to be closed, all persons, except the members and the Clerk, shall retire.

XXXV. Every petition, remonstrance, or other written application, intended to be presented to the Common Council, may be delivered to the President or any member of the Board, and the member to whom it shall be given, shall examine the same, and indorse thereon the name of the applicant, and the substance of such application, and sign his name thereto, which indorsement only shall be read by the President, unless a member shall require the reading of the paper, in which case the whole shall be read.

XXXVI. Standing Committees, consisting of three members each, shall be appointed on the following subjects:

1. Alms-house Department.
2. Arts and Sciences.
3. Assessments.
4. Cleaning Streets.
5. Ferries.
6. Finance.
7. Fire Department.
8. Joint Committee on Accounts.
9. Joint Committee on Croton Aqueduct.
10. Lamps and Gas.
11. Lands and Places.
12. Law Department.
13. Markets,
14. Ordinances.
15. Police.
16. Public Health.
17. Public Buildings on Blackwell's Island, Randall's Island, and Bellevue Establishment.
18. Repairs and Supplies.
19. Roads.
20. Salaries and offices.
21. Sewers.
22. Streets
23. Wharves, Piers and Slips.
24. Railroads.

XXXVII. The President shall be, *ex officio*, a member of all Committees; but a majority of such Committee, exclusive of the President, shall be sufficient to agree upon a report

XXXVIII. The members of the Board shall not leave their places on adjournment, until the President leaves the chair.

XXXIX. None of the foregoing rules and orders shall be amended or repealed, except by the vote of at least a quorum.

D. T. VALENTINE, *Clerk.*

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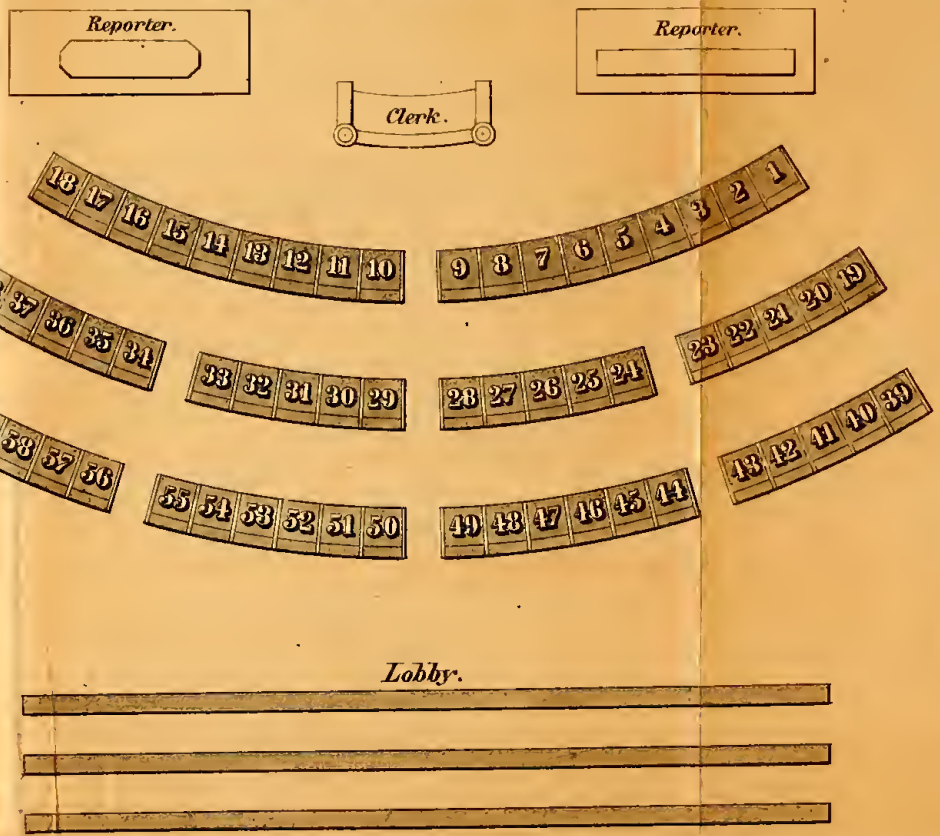
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7. George P. Bickford.
8. James L. Waugh.
9. James E. Clark.
10. William H. Crane
11. Henry Hughes.
12. Hugh O'Donnell.
13. Martin Gilmartin.
14. George W. Warner.
15. Michael Barry.
16. W. W. Judson.
17. Jonas N. Phillips.
18. Peter Crawford.
19. Lewis Fransway.
20. Ledyard Avery.
21. John Kennard.
22. Alexander Hemphill.
23. Andrew J. Campbel.
24. Isaac O. Hunt.
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51. James Wallace, Sr.
52. Dennis Ryer.
53. Thomas A. Dunn.
54. John L. Noyes.
55. Charles H. Haswell.
56. Fitzwilliam Byrdsall.
57. Homer Franklin.
58. Bryan McCahill.
59. W. Henry Doherty.
60. I. A. Hopper.

Diagram of the Councilmen's Chamber.

1857.

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X. Whenever the President shall wish to leave the chair, he may substitute a member in his place; but such substitution shall not continue beyond the day on which it is made.

XI. The President may call special meetings of the Board, whenever, in his judgment, the interests of the city may require it.

XII. Every act, resolution, or ordinance, appropriating money, or involving an expenditure of money, or relating to any lease, or sale, or other disposition or appropriation of any public property, privilege or franchise, shall be referred to the Committee of the Whole, unless otherwise ordered by forty members. Every act, resolution, or ordinance, which may have been referred to the Committee of the Whole, shall receive three several readings previous to its being passed, and the third reading shall not be on the same day on which it is acted on in committee, unless by consent of forty members.

XIII. In forming a Committee of the Whole, the President shall leave the chair and appoint a chairman to preside. The rules of the Board shall be observed in such Committee, except the rules respecting the ayes and noes, the times of speaking, and the previous question, and a motion to pass over shall be decided without debate.

XIV. On motion in Committee to rise and report, the question shall be decided without debate.

XV. After the report of the Committee, such amendments only shall be in order, as were offered and acted on in Committee.

XVI. When the question in debate contains several distinct propositions, any member may have the same divided.

XVII. All questions shall be put in the order they are moved, except those of privilege. When the blanks are to be filled, the longest time and smallest sum shall be put first.

XVIII. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be entertained, unless,

1. To adjourn.
2. To lay on the table.
3. For the previous question.
4. To postpone to a day certain.
5. To refer.
6. To postpone indefinitely.

7. To amend. Which motions shall have precedence in the order in which they stand. A call of the Board may be ordered at any time.

XIX. When a resolution shall be offered, or a motion be made to refer any subject, and different Committees shall be proposed, the question shall be taken in the following order:

1. A Standing Committee.

2. A Select Committee.

3. The Committee of the Whole.

XX. A motion to refer, or lay on the table, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendment and debate of the main question. A motion to postpone, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendment of the main question. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order; and that, and a motion for a call of the Board, shall be decided without debate.

XXI. No act, resolution, or ordinance, sent from the Board of Aldermen, shall be called up for final passage on the same day it is presented to this Board, unless by consent of forty members; nor shall it be acted upon on the same day it shall have passed the other Board, unless by unanimous consent; except in case of invasion, insurrection or pestilence.

XXII. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to publish all ordinances and amendments of ordinances which shall be passed; and also, the proceedings in the newspapers employed by the Corporation, except such parts as may require secrecy; and whenever a vote shall be taken upon the passage of a resolution or ordinance, which shall contemplate any specific improvement, or involve the sale, disposition or appropriation of public property, or the expenditure of public money, or the income therefrom, or lay any tax or assessment, he shall, before the same is sent to the other Board, and immediately after the adjournment, cause the same to be published, with the ayes and noes, with the names of the persons voting for and against the same, in at least two newspapers, as a part of the proceedings, and shall thereafter certify and send to the other Board every act, resolution, and ordinance which has originated in and passed this Board, and which require a concurrent vote of the Board of Aldermen, and shall deliver to the Mayor, certified in like manner, all such acts, ordinances and resolutions which shall have been received from the Board of Aldermen, and concurred in by this Board, and which are required to be submitted to him for his approval; and shall certify to the other Board the proceedings of this Board, in reference to all acts or business originating with the other Board.

XXIII. It shall also be the duty of the Clerk to make and keep a list of all messages, acts, resolutions, ordinances and reports, not finally or specially disposed of, in order of priority, which list shall be the "General Orders;" also, a like list or "Calendar of matters ordered to the Committee of the Whole;" also, a like list or "Calendar of matters ordered to a Third Reading."

XXIV. Every member who shall be present when a question is put, shall vote thereon, unless the Board shall excuse him, or unless he be immediately interested in the question, in which case he shall not vote. But no member, on a taking of the ayes and noes, shall be permitted to vote, unless present when his name is called in regular order, except by consent of a majority of the members present.

XXV. Any member who shall have voted with the majority, may move for a reconsideration, provided he do so at the same or the next meeting;

and whilst the act, resolution or ordinance is in the possession of the Board, such motion having been once put and lost, shall not be renewed, except by the consent of forty members.

XXVI. Every member, previous to speaking, shall rise in his place and address the President.

XXVII. When two or more members rise at the same time, the President shall name the member who is first to speak.

XXVIII. No person shall speak more than twice to the same question, without leave of the Board; nor more than once, till every member, choosing to speak, shall have spoken.

XXIX. A member called to order shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain; and the Board, if appealed to, shall at once decide on the case, without debate. If there be no appeal, the decision of the chair shall be submitted to.

XXX. The previous question shall be admitted only when demanded by a majority of the members present, and until decided, shall preclude all amendment or debate, and must be put in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?"

XXXI. When the previous question shall have been ordered, and there shall be pending amendments adopted in Committee of the Whole, but not acted on in the Board, the question shall first be taken upon the amendments, in their order, and then upon the main question, without further debate or amendment.

XXXII. On taking a vote by ayes and noes, in the cases required by law, as well as when required by five members, the names of those who vote for and those who vote against the question shall be so entered in the minutes; and when so taken, on the call of a member, the name of such member, and the fact, shall also be entered in the minutes.

XXXIII. All appointments of officers shall be by ballot

XXXIV. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered by the Board.

XXXV. The Standing Committees shall be as follows:

1. Alms-house Department.
2. Arts and Sciences.
3. Assessments.
4. Cleaning Streets.
5. Croton Aqueduct.
6. Ferries.
7. Finance.
8. Fire Department.
9. Lamps and Gas.
10. Lands and Places.
11. Law Department.
12. Markets.
13. Ordinances.
14. Police.

15. Public Health.
16. Public Buildings on Blackwell's Island, Ward's Island, Randall's Island and Bellevue Establishment.
17. Railroads.
18. Repairs and Supplies.
19. Roads.
20. Salaries and Offices.
21. Sewers.
22. Streets.
23. Wharves, Piers and Slips.
24. Joint Committee on Accounts—each of which shall consist of five members, except the Joint Committee on Accounts, which shall consist of three members only.

XXXVI. The President shall be *ex officio* a member of all Committees; but a majority of the other members shall be sufficient to agree upon a report.

XXXVII. Committees shall inquire into the matters referred to them, and report, in writing, the facts in relation thereto, with their opinions thereon, and attached to such report all resolutions, petitions, remonstrances, and other papers relating to the matters referred, but no report shall be made without consent first had, unless signed by a majority of the Committee; nor shall any matter reported on, be taken up for final action the same day on which it is reported, unless by the consent of forty members. No report shall be printed unless by the express direction of the Board; specifying the number of copies to be printed.

XXXVIII. No member shall absent himself without permission of the President; nor, on adjournment, leave his place, until the President leaves the chair.

XXXIX. Whenever the doors are directed to be closed, all persons, excepting the members and the clerk, shall retire.

XL. No person shall be permitted on the floor of the Council unless in the discharge of official duty, or by special invitation of a member, except the Mayor, Aldermen, Heads of Departments, or officers of the state government, and reporters for the press. The privilege of admission, under any invitation, shall not extend beyond the day for which it is given.

XLI. The regular sessions of the Board shall commence on the first Monday of each month, at five o'clock P.M., and shall continue on each Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at the same hour, until the business of the monthly session is concluded; provided that the Board may, by a vote of a majority of the members present, adjourn for a shorter time. And the first business in order on Friday evenings shall be the third reading of bills.

XLII. No standing rule or order of this Board shall be changed, or rescinded, without one day's previous notice being given of the motion therefor. But any rule or order may be suspended, for a special purpose, by a vote of forty members.



Lith. by G. Hayward, 120 Water St. N.Y.

for D.T. Valentine's Manual for 1858.



CITY HALL.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

1857

HON. FERNANDO WOOD, *Mayor*,
Office, No. 6 City Hall; residence, Bloomingdale.
DAVID T. VALENTINE, *Clerk of Common Council*,
Office, No. 8 City Hall; residence, No. 212 West 15th street

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Ward.	Name.	Residence.	Place of Business.
6.	John Clancy, *Presid't.*	85 Elm street	65 Bayard street.
1.	William Wilson	1 State street	8 City Hall.
2.	Hiram Corwin	206 Front street	cor. Fulton & Front sts
3.	Morgan L. Harris	12 College place	12 College place.
4.	Bartholomew Healy	39 Oliver street	105 Nassau & 34 Ann st.
5.	H. R. Hoffmire	3 Jay street	3 Jay street.
7.	Thomas W. Adams	20 Gouverneur street	
8.	William Tucker	28 Macdougal street	64 Wall street.
9.	Solomon Banta	93 Amos street	
10.	James Griffiths	14 Ludlow street	14 Ludlow street.
11.	James R Steers	274 Seventh street	
12.	David S. Jackson	Bloomingdale	
13.	Edward C. McConnell.	57 Pitt street	10 City Hall.
14.	Peter Moneghan	6 Prince street	36 Cedar street.

Ward.	Name.	Residence.	Place of Business.
15.	Orison Blunt	117 Ninth street	
16.	Peter Fullmer	142 West Twentieth st.	139 West Nineteenth st.
17.	William Coulter	169 First Avenue	216 East Twentieth st.
18.	Jacob H. Valentine	94 East Fifteenth street	288 Second avenue.
19.	Thomas McSpedon	73d street and Third av.	29 Beekman street.
20.	William McConkey	348 Tenth avenue	
21.	James Owens	102 E. Thirty-fourth st.	106 E. Thirty-fourth st.
22.	William B. Drake	209 W. Forty-third str.	13d street, near 8th av.

BOARD OF COUNCILMEN.

Dist.	Name.	Residence.	Place of Business.
17.	Jonas N. Phillips, *Pres.*	73 Greene street	85 Pike slip.
1.	Henry Smith	14 State street	16 South street.
2.	John Von Glahn	c'r. Carlisle & Wash'tone	c'r Carlisle & Wash'ton.
3.	William H. Bulteel	135 Fulton street	Fulton Market.
4.	Thomas Munroe	Washington street	Chambers street.
5.	John Bauleh	76 Frankfort street	35 Charham street.
6.	James Rielly	35 Madison street	37 Mulberry street.
7.	George P. Bickford	310 Pearl street	
8.	James L. Waugh	112 Franklin street	112 Franklin street.
9.	James E. Clark	202 Duane street	305 Duane street.
10.	William H. Crane	433 Greenwich street	233 Greenwich street.
11.	Henry Hughes	473 Pearl street	473 Pearl street.
12.	Hugh O'Donnell	97 Baxter street	
13.	Martin Gilmartin	496 Pearl street	18 Ann street.
14.	George W. Warner	133 Madison street	6 Wall st., rear 1st floor.
15.	Michael Barry	358 Cherry street	358 Cherry street.
16.	W. W. Judson	20 Gouverneur street	
18.	Peter Crawford	112 Varick street	
19.	Lewis Fransway	82 Charlton street	76 Beekman street.
20.	Ledyard Avery	505 Washington street	2 Clinton market.
21.	John Kennard	692 Greenwich street	26 Frankfort street.
22.	Alexander Hemphill	17 Morton street	11 Whitehall street.
23.	Andrew J. Campbell	121 Hammond street	12 Park place.
24.	Isaac O. Hunt	8 Bank street	
25.	John Roehner	92 Division street	82 Division street.
26.	John Van Tine	331 Broome street	2 Dey street.
27.	Jesse S. Sickels	112 Essex street	3 Essex market.
28.	H. W. Colyer	189 Stanton street	151 Attorney street.
29.	Amos Miller	Cannon street	Novelty Works.
30.	F. 1. A. Boole	311 Third street	
31.	Benjamin J. Rhodes	67 Avenue D	Novelty Works.
32.	M. McLoughlin	401 Ninth street	127 Avenue D.
33.	Charles Doty	31 Mangin street	East R. Broome street.

Dist.	Names.	Residence.	Place of Business
34.	John McConnell.....	Broome street.....	
35	J. Wesley Hunt.....	189 Broome street.....	183 Bowery.
36.	Hugh O'Brien.....	222 Elizabeth street....	
37	Thomas Kelly.....	Mott street.....	
38.	Michael Smith.	147 Hester street.....	
39.	John H. Brady.....	136 Amity street.	122 Amity street.
40.	R. W. Chapman.....		
41.	Franklin J Ottarson..	Houston street.....	Tribune office.
42.	Thomas Jones, jr.....	166 W. Twenty-fifth st	6 Wall street.
43.	Jesse Mitchell..	341 Sixth avenue	
44.	John Kettleman.....	285 W. Nineteenth st....	
45.	James Murray.....	264 W. Seventeenth st.	92 Ninth avenue.
46.	William H. Mansfield	285 Bowery.....	279 Bowery.
47.	John N. Reynolds.....	91 First street.....	182 Suffolk street.
48.	John Schappert.....	112 Third street.....	189 Avenue A.
49.	Andrew J. Odell.....	31 Seventh street.....	First av. & 7th street.
50.	Bernard Reilly.....	192 East Thirteenth st.	211 East 13th street.
51	James Wallace, sr....	280 Tenth avenue.....	292 West 27th street.
52.	Dennis Ryer.....	389 Ninth avenue.....	128 Fulton street.
53.	Thomas A. Dunn.....	498 Eighth avenue....	506 Eighth avenue.
54.	John L. Noyes.....	135 Thirty-fifth street..	205 Twenty-fifth street.
55.	Charles H. Haswell...	59 East Thirty-first st..	6 Bowling Green.
56.	Fitzwilliam Byrdsall..	160 E. Twenty-first st..	
57.	Homer Franklin.....	80 East Fifteenth st....	41 Beaver street.
58.	Bryan McCahill.....	cor 49th st. & Third av.	609 Eight avenue.
59.	W. H. Doherty.....	563 Eighth avenue.....	
60*	I. A. Hopper.....	Carmansville.....	Carmansville.

* Contested by John Vance.

STANDING COMMITTEES

OF THE BOARDS OF ALDERMEN AND COUNCILMEN.

1857.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

1. *Alms-house Department:*
 Alderman Hoffmire,
 " Banta,
 " Corwin.

2. *Arts and Sciences:*
 Alderman Harris,
 " Moneghan,
 " Fullmer.

3. *Assessments:*
 Aiderman Moneghan,
 " Wilson,
 " Valentine.

4. *Cleaning Streets:*
 Alderman Adams,
 " Coulter,
 " Griffiths.

5. *Ferries:*
 Alderman Steers,
 " Harris,
 " Drake.

6. *Finance.*
 Alderman McSpedon,
 " Hoffmire,
 " Fullmer.

7 *Fire Department.*
 Alderman Adams,
 " McConnell.
 " Corwin.

8. *Joint Committee on Accounts:*
 Alderman Healy,
 " Harris,
 " Blunt.

9. *Croton Aqueduct.*
 Alderman Moneghan,
 " Coulter,
 " Owens.

10. *Lamps and Gas:*
 Alderman McConnell,
 " Moneghan,
 " Drake.

11. *Lands and Places:*
 Alderman Wilson,
 " Coulter,
 " Griffiths.

12. *Law Department:*
 Alderman Harris,
 " McConkey,
 " Owens.

13. *Markets:*
 Alderman Healy,
 " Steers,
 " Corwin.

14. *Ordinances:*
 Alderman Banta,
 " Jackson,
 " Blunt.

15. *Police:*
 Alderman Wilson,
 " Moneghan,
 " Corwin.

16. *Public Health:*
 Alderman Steers,
 " Hoffmire,
 " Blunt.

17. *Public Buildings on Blackwell's Island, Randall's Island and Bellevue Establishment:*
 Alderman Jackson,
 " Adams,
 " Owens.

18. *Repairs and Supplies:*
 Alderman McConkey,
 " Coulter,
 " Valentine.

19. *Roads:*

Alderman Jackson,
" McSpedon,
" Drake.

20. *Salaries and Offices:*

Alderman Hoffmire,
" Banta,
" Fullmer.

21. *Sewers:*

Alderman Coulter,
" McConkey,
" Valentine.

22. *Streets:*

Alderman McConnell,
" Hoffmire,
" Griffiths.

23. *Wharves, Piers and Slips:*

Alderman Steers,
" Healy,
" Corwin.

24 *Railroads:*

Alderman McSpedon,
" Adams,
" Moneghan,
" Drake,
" Valentine.

BOARD OF COUNCILMEN.

1857.

1. *Alms-house Department:*

Councilman B. Reilly,
" J. Murray,
" J. W. Hunt,
" J. Von Glahn,
" I. A. Hopper.

2. *Arts and Sciences:*

Councilman W. W. Judson,
" J. McConnell,
" H. Franklin,
" M. McLoughlin,
" A. J. Campbell.

3. *Assessments:*

Councilman J. N. Reynolds,
" H. W. Colyer,
" J. Baulch,
" H. O'Brien,
" A. Miller.

4. *Cleaning Streets:*

Councilman L. Fransway,
" T. Kelly,
" H. W. Colyer,
" J. Schappert,
" G. W. Warner.

5. *Croton Aqueduct:*

Councilman B. T. Rhodes,
" W. H. Doherty,
" J. Clark,
" J. Wallace, Sr.,
" A. J. Campbell,

6. *Ferries:*

Councilman M. Barry,
" J. Van Tine,
" T. Munroe,
" Martin Gilmartin,
" J. Kennard.

7. *Finance:*

Councilman T. Jones, Jr.,
" P. Crawford,
" F. I. A. Boole,
" W. H. Bulteel,
" H. Smith.

8. *Fire Department:*

Councilman J. Baulch,
" J. S. Sickels,
" J. H. Brady,
" W. H. Bulteel,
" J. Kennard.

9. *Lamps and Gas:*
Councilman P. Crawford,
" T. Jones, Jr.,
" J. S. Sickels,
" M. McLoughlin,
" F. J. Ottarson,

10. *Lands and Places:*
Councilman J. L. Waugh,
" W. H. Mansfield,
" H. O'Donnell,
" H. O'Brien,
" I. O. Hunt.

11. *Law Department:*
Councilman F. W. Byrdsall,
" W. W. Judson,
" W. H. Doherty,
" J. L. Noyes,
" F. J. Ottarson.

12. *Markets:*
Councilman H. W. Colyer,
" G. P. Bickford,
" C. Doty,
" J. N. Reynolds,
" Wm. H. Crane.

13. *Ordinances:*
Councilman D. Ryer,
" J. McConnell,
" C. H. Haswell,
" J. Mitchell,
" R. W. Chapman.

14. *Police:*
Councilman W. H. Mansfield,
" J. W. Hunt,
" T. Kelly,
" J. Murray,
" J. L. Noyes.

15. *Public Health:*
Councilman J. Kettleman,
" J. Roehner,
" C. Doty,
" B. Reilly,
" A. Hemphill.

16. *Public Buildings on Blackwell's Island, Randall's Island, and Bellevue Establishment:*
Councilman B. McCahill,
" F. W. Byrdsall,
" J. Von Glahn,
" M. Barry,
" H. Franklin.

17. *Railroads:*
Councilman G. P. Pickford,
" J. Schappert,
" T. Munroe,
" G. W. Warner,
" W. H. Crane.

18. *Repairs and Supplies:*
Councilman W. H. Bulteel,
" J. Kettleman,
" B. T. Rhodes,
" J. Rielly,
" H. Smith.

19. *Roads:*
Councilman J. S. Sickels,
" W. H. Doherty,
" L. Fransway,
" A. J. Odell,
" I. A. Hopper.

20. *Salaries and Offices:*
Councilman J. Van Tine,
" H. Hughes,
" M. Smith,
" I. O. Hunt,
" J. Clark.

21. *Sewers:*
Councilman J. L. Waugh,
" J. Rielly,
" M. McLoughlin,
" B. McCahill,
" J. H. Brady.

22. *Streets:*
Councilman F. I. A. Boole,
" J. Roehner,
" J. N. Reynolds,
" G. P. Bickford,
" L. Avery.

23. *Wharves, Piers and Slips:*
Councilman J. Baulch.
" W. W. Judson,
" M. Smith,
" A. J. Odell,
" H. Smith.

24. *Joint Committee on Accounts:*
Councilman M. Gilmartin,
" J. Wallace, Sr.,
" R. W. Chapman.

OFFICERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Office, No. 8 City Hall.

David T. Valentine, *Clerk*.....212 West 15th street:
John H. Chambers, *Deputy Clerk* 164 Elm street.
C. B. Woodruff, *First Asst. Clerk*.....40 White street.
Simon Myers, *Second Asst. Clerk* 127 Greenwich street.
Patrick Gallagher, *Sergeant-at-arms*.....74 Hamersley street.
G. A. Valentine, *City Librarian* 139 6th avenue.
Horatio N. Parker, *Messenger*.....64 Allen street.
Terrence P. Smith, *Asst. Messenger*.....128 Willett street.

OFFICERS OF THE BOARD OF COUNCILMEN.

Office, No. 5 City Hall.

C. T. McClenachan, *Clerk*..... 50 West 29th street.
John A. Towle, *Deputy Clerk*.....Sixty-first st., E. R.
Jas. Little, *Assistant Clerk*.....48 Norfolk street.
Nicholas M. Slidell, *Sergeant-at-arms*.....155 Prince street.
John E. Greene, *Messenger*.....237 Spring street.
R. T. Entwistle, *Door-keeper*.....93 Ludlow street.
Jos. E. Hamblin, *Reader*.....241 West 31st street.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The Board of Supervisors of the county of New York is composed of the Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen of the city of New York. The general powers and duties of the said Board of Supervisors are found in the fourth edition of Revised Statutes, vol. 1, pages 675-684.

Those powers and duties in relation to levying taxes and assessments are also defined in the fourth edition of Revised Statutes, vol. 1, pages 760-780.

COMMITTEES.

1857.

Annual Taxes.

Supervisor Hoffmire,
" Banta,
" Owens.

County Offices.

Supervisor Harris,
" Adams,
" Valentine.

Criminal Courts and Police.

Supervisor Steers,
" McConkey,
" Griffiths.

Civil Courts.

Supervisor Monaghan,
" McConnell,
" Blunt.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS.

HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS.

Police.....Hon. Fernando Wood, Mayor
Finance.....Azariah C. Flagg, Comptroller.
Streets.....Joseph S. Taylor, Street Commissioner.
Repairs and Supplies..Nathaniel S. Selah, Com. Repairs and Supplies.
Streets and Lamps....Joseph E. Ebling, Com. of Streets and Lamps.
Croton Aqueduct... Myndert Van Schaick, President.
Theo. R. De Forest, Assistant Commissioner.
Alfred W. Craven, Chief Engineer.
City Inspector.....George W. Morton, City Inspector.
Alms-house..... Board of Governors of the Alms-house.
C. Godfrey Gunther, President.
Law.....Richard Busteed, Counsel to Corporation.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Hon. Fernando Wood, *Mayor*.....Broadway and 77th st.
Alex. Ming, *Mayor's Clerk*.....189 West 19th street.
Wm. M. Cooke, *Secretary*.....373 Fourth street.
Wm. H. Stephens, *First Marshal*.....119 Orchard street.
Thos. J. Munday, *Clerk*.....501 Eighth avenue.
Geo. W. Hinchman, *Asst. Clerk & Mayor's Mes.*.70 Third street.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

Hon. Fernando Wood, *Mayor*.
Hon. James M. Smith, jr, *Recorder*.
Hon. Abraham D. Russell, *City Judge*.

BUREAU OF CHIEF OF POLICE.

Office, No. 1, City Hall.

Geo. W. Matsell, *Chief of Police*.....30 Stanton street
Wm. Mackeller, *Clerk*.....Harlem.

[For list of officers, see another portion of this work.]

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Office, No. 5, Hall of Records.

Azariah C. Flagg, *Comptroller*.....3 London Terrace, 23d st.
Artemas S Cady, *Clerk to Comptroller*.....53 West Twelfth street.
Joseph C. Pinckney, *Book-keeper*.....73 St. Mark's place.
Wakeman H. Dikeman, *Stock Clerk*.....270 Elizabeth street.
James Timpson, *Auditor*.....183 Seventh avenue.
David Groesbeck, jr , *Assist. Auditor*.....586 Broome street.
Charles Van Tine, *Assist. Auditor*.....cor. Bank and Bleecker sts.

BUREAU OF ARREARS.

Augustus Purdy, *Clerk of Arrears*.....83 Ludlow street.
Phineas H. Kingsland, 1st *Asst*.....87 Prince street.
John S. Cady, 2d " 53 West 12th street.
Four Assistant Clerks and a Messenger, authorized by an ordinance of the Common Council, but not yet nominated.

BUREAU OF TAXES.

Henry H. Howard, *Receiver of Taxes*.....108 Leonard street.
John P. Hone, *Deputy* " 50 Great Jones street
Alfred Vredenburgh, *Clerk to Dep. Rec. Taxes*....677 Houston street.
Wilson Small, 1st *Clerk to Rec. of Taxes*.....266 Henry street.
Henry Wilkes, 2d " "
Casper C. Childs, 3d " " 53 Greenwich avenue
W. G, McLaughlin, 4th " " 5 Prince street.
Henry B. Venn *Clk. of Arrears on Per. Taxes*....
Peter Fargis, *Messenger*.....Varick street.

(Six temporary clerks appointed for six months)

BUREAU OF CITY REVENUE.

Joseph Rose, *Collector of City Revenue*.....72 Catharine street.

BUREAU OF DEPOSIT AND DISBURSEMENT.

Andrew V. Stout, *Chamberlain*, Shoe and Leather Bank, corner Broadway and Chambers street.
H. L. Ovington, *Clerk to Chamberlain*.

BUREAU OF CITY HALL AND PARK.

James Taylor, *Keeper City Hall and Park*.....9 City Hall.

STREET DEPARTMENT.

Office, No. 4, Hall of Records.

Jos. S. Taylor, *Street Commissioner*.....57th st., near 2d ave.
Charles Turner, *Deputy* " 91 East 29th street.
Olcott Rhines, *Map Clerk* " 166 Spring street.
Geo. T. Rogers, *Contract Clerk*.....157 East 22d street.
Henry V. Lovell, *Clerk to Street Commissioner*....93 West 36th street.
Wm. Turner, *Book-keeper*.....42 Sixth avenue.
William H. Matthews, *Clerk*.....89 Prince street.
John Colvin, " 2 East 50th street.
Samuel F. Allen, " 604 Eighth avenue.
William V. Leggett, " 210 West 48th street.
Edward Green, " 257 Spring street.
James Peckham, " 151 Allen street.
Joseph B. Pollock, " 271 West 34th street.
G. H. E. Lynch.....Harlem.
William Messenger.....72 Fifth street.
Ambrose S. Pratt, *Messenger*.....49th st, and Old road.

BUREAU OF SIDEWALKS.

Ed. Merritt, *Inspector of Sidewalks*.....187 Monroe street.

BUREAU OF ASSESSMENTS.

ASSESSORS OF THE STREET DEPARTMENT.

Charles McNiell.....18 East 24th street.
Jacob F. Oakley.....21 Norfolk street.
Wm A. Dooley.....53d st., b. 1st & 2d av.
Walter S. Pinckney, *Clerk*.....73 St. Mark's place.
Peter C. Male, *Clerk to Collector of Assessments*.

BUREAU OF THE COLLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

Office, Basement, City Hall, West wing.

Joseph R. Taylor. *Collector of Assessments*.....138 East 19th street.
Horatio N. Sherwood, *Deputy* " Patten's Hotel.
Ira A. Libby, " " 163 West 22d street.
Walter Oakley, " " Harlem.

BUREAU OF WHARVES.

Rufus E. Crane, *Sup't. of Wharves*.....131 Fifth avenue.

BUREAU OF LANDS AND PLACES.

Wm. H. Hibbard, *Super't of Lands and Places*.57th st., b. 3d & Lex. avs.

BUREAU OF SURVEYING.

CITY SURVEYORS.

Geo. B. Smith,.....120 West 28th street.
Edward Ludlam,.....8 James street.
Isaac T. Ludlam,.....8 James street.
Silas Ludlam,.....8 James street.
Daniel Ewen,.....9 Chambers street.
Edward Ewen,.....9 Chambers street.
John Pollock,.....237 West 18th street.
R. Amerman,.....Broadway, c. 28th st.
S. S. Doughty,.....22 West 28th street.
F. P. Vidal,.....6 City Hall place.
G. A. Sage,.....278 Fourth street.
J. E. Serrell,.....43 West 26th street.
J. J. Serrell,.....72 Murray street.
George W. Smith,.....195 West 23d street.
E. Smith,.....3 Tryon row.
P. H. Dreyer,.....157 Sixth avenue.
R. J. Dodge,.....Thirteenth street.
Francis Nicholson,.....11 East 30th street.
F. P. Vidal, Jr.,.....6 City Hall place.
Edward Boyle,.....123 Chambers street.
John B. Holmes,.....
John T. Dodge,.....Thirteenth street.
Norman Ewen,.....9 Chambers street.
George Watson, Jr.,.....Girard House.
L. E. Horton,.....21 Morton street.
Abel C. Judson,.....Harlem.
John Wordsworth,.....6 Centre street.
Charles R. Graham,.....17 Nassau street.
John McLeod Murphy,.....212 Broadway.
E. L. Viele,.....13 Broadway.
George B. Melendy,.....Tryon row.
Richard Henwood,.....Spring street.
Jacob B. Bacon,.....80 Chatham street.
James C. S. Sinclair,.....212 Broadway.
Rosewell Graves,.....257 Broadway.

DEPARTMENT OF REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.

Office, City Hall. Basement, East Wing.

N. S. Selah, *Com. of Rep. and Supplies*,.....12 Rivington street.
John O'Toole, *Clerk to* " " 270 West 16th street.
I. G Seixas, *Asst.* " " " 93 West 16th street.

BUREAU OF ROADS.

Wm. Goodheart, *Superintendant of Roads*,.....86th street, c. 2d av'e.

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Office, No. 74 Ludlow Street

Jas. Irving, *Sup't of Repairs to Pub. Buildings*...21st street, n. 2d av.
T. Bancker, *Clerk to* " " " ...17 Gay street.

BUREAU OF STREETS PAVING.

Office, corner of Tompkins and Rivington Streets.

Henry C. Woolley, *Sup't of Pavements*.....191 Stanton street.
Henry Arcularius, *Clerk to* " 58th street, n. 2d av.

BUREAU OF SUPPLIES FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office, No. 21 Elizabeth Street.

Henry H. Howard, *Chief Engineer of Fire Dep*....

DEPARTMENT OF STREETS AND LAMPS.

Office, Essex Market.

Joseph E. Ebling, *Com. Streets and Lamps*.... ..200½ Bowery.
Thos. H. Wainwright, *Clerk to* " 96 Allen street.

BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS.

Office, Essex Market.

John Lynes, *Sup't of Lamps and Gas*, ...47 St. Marks place.
Isaac R. Varian, *Clerk to* " " 1022 Broadway.

BUREAU OF CLEANING STREETS.

Morgan L. Mott, *Sup't of Streets*.....117 Crosby street.
S. T. Webster, *Clerk to* " 239 Broome street.
—— *Ass't Clerk to* "

BUREAU OF MARKETS.

Matthias Gooderson, *Sup't of Markets*.....9 City Hall square.
John Baum, *Clerk of Washington market*.....232 Water street.
George Goodheart, *Dep.* " " 737 Washington street.
Geo. W. Isaacs, *Clerk of Fulton market*.....141 East 27th street.
Geo. McKimmons, " *Catharine* "
Allen Thomas, " *Essex* " 108 Essex street.
Hyatt Lyons, " *Union* " 130 Columbia street.

P. Vandervoort, *Clerk of Jefferson Market*.....110 Eighth avenue.
Henry S. Lane, " *Tompkins* "
Dewitt Forshay, " *Clinton* "
John Styles, " *Franklin* " Yorkville.
Lucius F. Hickox, " *Gouverneur* "
James S. Egbert, " *Centre* " 190 Elizabeth street.

BUREAU OF INSPECTION.

Ralph Trembly, *Inspector of Weights and Measures, 1st District.*
Thomas Wainwright, " " " *2d* " 96 Allen.
George Karr, *Sealer of* " " 155 West 18th street.
John H. Embree, " " " 200½ Bowery.

POUND MASTERS.

Ralph P. Barker.....Yorkville.
Jonathan Odell.....36th street.
Patrick Vincent.....Robinson street.

CROTON AQUEDUCT DEPARTMENT.

Office, Rotunda, Park.

Myndert Van Schaick, *President*.....82 Fifth avenue.
Theodore R. De Forest, *Commissioner*.....310 West 22d street.
Alfred W. Craven, *Chief Engineer*.....27 West 19th street.
John C. Winder. *Assistant* " 31 St. Mark's place.
Henry L. Robertson, *Clerk to C. A. Board*.....8 Eldridge street.
Edmund E. Dean " *Department* :.....312 West 22d street.
Gilbert H. White " " 135½ Allen street.
Seymour V. Moody, " " 81 West 16th street.
Charles R. Fleet, " " 286 Hudson.
John J. Conklin, *Messenger* " 498 Hudson street.
John Geary, *Rec. Reservoir*.....7th av. and 85th st.
Benj. G. Roe, *Dis.* " 92 West 40th street.

BUREAU OF WATER RENTS.

Revo C. Hance, *Register*.....209 West 19th street.
William Fardon, *Deputy Register*.....117 Second street.
Jacob E. Howard, *Clerk*.....585 Eighth avenue.
Wm. V. Lecount, " 40 West 27th street.

BUREAU OF PIPES AND SEWERS.

John P. Flender, *Water Purveyor*.....575 Third avenue.
Alexander F. Dodge, *Sewer Con. Clerk*.....137 Thirteenth street.
James Gulick, *Sup. Proving Yard*.....24th street, E. R.
Nicholas C. Robertson, *Turncock*.....185 Ludlow street.

CITY INSPECTOR'S DEPARTMENT.

Office, No. 1 Centre street.

Geo. W. Morton, *City Inspector*.....55 Vandam street.
W. R. W. Chambers, *1st Clerk to City Inspector*..118 First street.
Jos. S. Monell, *Registrar of Records*.....Houston st., c. 1st av.
Richard C. Downing, *Sup't San. Insp*.....28th street.
Samuel A. Vanderlip, *Registry Clerk*.....171 Monroe street.
Lemuel W. Parkes, " Lispenard street.

HEALTH WARDENS, 1857.

Ward.	Names.	Residence.
1.	Noah B. Stokley	12 Wall street.
2.	Richard S. Gilbert	59 Fulton street.
3.	Charles Hicks	85 Warren street.
4.		
5.	James Lawrence	18 Hubert street.
6.	Joseph Canning	13 Doyer street.
7.	William B. Haggarty	315 Henry street.
8	Gamaliel Leacratt	167 Varick street.
9.	James H. Demaresl	54 Leroy street.
10.	John Slowey	112 Essex street.
11.	Oliver Green	171 Sixth street.
12.	Henry E. Hoyt.	Harlem.
13.	James P. Abbott	20 Norfolk street.
14.	Wm. S. Wood	169 Mott street.
15.	John S. Vreeland	126 Amity street.
16.	Charles Tripp	203 Seventh avenue.
17.	Lewis J. Kirk	276 Houston street.
18.	Leidy Bilger	228 Third avenue.
19.	Charles L. Frost	82d st., b. 2d & 3d avs.
20.	Remans Woolsey	125 Thirty-first street.
21.	Sanford Stanley	305 Fourth avenue.
22.	William Halden	63d st., c. 9th avenue.

ALMS-HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

The Alms-house Department is organized under an "Act to provide for the government of the Department of Alms and Penitentiary in the city and county of New York," passed April 6, 1849, which was amended by an "Act to explain the powers and duties of the Governors of the Alms-house," passed April 10, 1850.

BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

Office, Rotunda, Park.

Anthony Dugro,	to serve	1	year from	January	1, 1857.
Washington Smith,	"	1	"	"	"
Isaac Townsend,	"	2	"	"	"
C. V. Anderson,	"	2	"	"	"
Daniel F. Tiemann,	"	3	"	"	"
Joseph S. Taylor,	"	3	"	"	"
Isaac J. Oliver,	"	4	"	"	"
C. Godfrey Gunther,	"	4	"	"	"
P. G. Moloney,	"	5	"	"	"
Benj. F. Pinckney,	"	5	"	"	"

C. Godfrey Gunther is the President and Isaac J. Oliver the Secretary of the Board; George B. Gilbert, Chief Clerk; Joshua Phillips, Clerk to Governors; Samuel R. Spelman, Supply Clerk; Corns. M. Kellock, Messenger.

COMMITTEES FOR 1857.

Alms-house	Anderson, Moloney, Oliver.
Bellevue Hospital	Smith, Dugro, Moloney.
City Cemetery	Smith, Tiemann, Anderson.
City Prisons	Dugro, Anderson, Pinckney.
Colored Home	Taylor, Moloney, Anderson.
Conference	Anderson, Townsend, Taylor.
Ferries	Smith, Dugro, Taylor.
Finance	Tiemann, Taylor, Oliver
Lunatic Asylum	Pinckney, Tiemann, Taylor.
Out-door Poor	Townsend, Smith, Dugro.
Penitentiary Hospital, and Small Pox Hospital	Townsend, Pinckney, Smith.
Randall's Island	Tiemann, Oliver, Moloney.
Salaries	Tiemann, Smith, Townsend.
Stores	Moloney, Pinckney, Dugro.
Supplies	Townsend, Pinckney, Moloney.
Work-house	Oliver, Tiemann, Anderson.

The officers of the institutions under their charge, are as follows:

Alms-house.

Jonathan Stearns, *Warden.*	Eliza Heaton, *Matron*
Rev. Hugh T. Brady, *Chaplain.*	Catharine M. Flynn, *Asst. Matron.*
Thomas J. Marshall, *Clerk.*	Margaret Keating, *Help.*
Michael N. Shea, *Register Clerk.*	John Turner, *Captain, Dead Boat.*
Elijah T. Simpson, *Engineer.*	Henry Zeh, *Gardener.*

Lawrence Rogers, *Messenger.*

Bellevue Hospital.

Timothy Daly, *Warden*.
John Frey, *Apothecary*.
John King, *Engineer*.
Letitia Frey, *Matron*.
Twelve Nurses.

Two House Surgeons.
Three House Physicians.
Five Senior Assistants.
Twelve Orderlies.
Forty-eight Assistants.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Consulting Physicians.

J. W. Francis, M.D., *President*.
Isaac Wood, M.D.

Consulting Surgeons.

Valentine Mott, M.D.
Alexander H. Stephens, M.D.

Physicians.

A. Clark, M.D.
John T. Metcalfe, M.D.
B. Fordyce Barker, M.D.
Benjamin W. McCready, M.D.
George T. Elliot, M.D.
Isaac E. Taylor, M.D.

Surgeons.

James R. Wood, M.D.
John A. Lidell, M.D.
Stephen Smith, M.D.
Charles D. Smith, M.D.
Lewis A. Sayre, M.D.
John J. Crane, M.D.

HOUSE STAFF.

House Physicians { Drs. Dodge, Saunders, Warren, Reynolds.
House Surgeons..... " Pope, White.
Assistant Physicians..... " Bluseom, Draper, Lee, Cobb.
" *Surgeons*..... " Johnson, Hines.
Apothecary.....John Frey.

City Prisons.

John Gray, *Warden*.
John H. Whitmore, *Clerk*.
John C. Covel, *Physician*.
Thomas Mullan,.... *Deputy*.
Abraham Clearman, "
Thomas Ahearn, "
Robert Cunningham, "
Artemas Kendall, "
Wm. H. Doty, "
Peter Crosby, "

Mark Finley, *Deputy*.
Edward Smith, "
Flora Foster, *Matron*.
Anna J. French, *Assistant Matron*.
Lavinia Phelps, *Night* "
Merritt Smith, *Keeper*, 2*d District*.
John Brown, " "
Wm. H. Warts, " "
John Orr, " 3*d* "
Matthew Daly, " "

James Finley.....*Messenger*.

Lunatic Asylum.

M. H. Ranney, *Resident Physician*.
J. V. Lansing, *Assistant* "
Charles Corey, jr., " "

Thomas Cholwell, *Watchman*.
Michael Cordial, "
Mary Goodwin, *Matron*.

Zetus Searle, *Chaplain*.
Bernard McCann, *Engineer*.
Allen McLean, *Attendant*.
Mary Tookey, *Attendant*.
Twenty-eight Female Attendants.
Thirteen Male Attendants.

Mary Welsh.....*Sewing Room*.

Out-door Poor, Office, Rotunda,

George Kellock, jr., *Superintendent*.
Sparhawk Parsons, *Clerk*.
Wm. B. Parsons, "
Henry W. Boswell, "
Chas. E. Anderson, "
John McGrath, *Visitor*.
James Marshall, "
James Quackinbush, "
John Mullane, *Hearse Driver*.
Robt. McDade, *Asst*. "
Wm. Saul, " "
Godfrey Kieffer, *Door-keeper*.
John Brewer, *Inspector of Beef*.
Twenty Temporary Visitors.
Four Keepers Coal and Wood Yard.

Penitentiary.

John Fitch, *Warden*.
John E. Flagler, *Clerk*.
Robt. G. Walmsley, *Dep. Warden*.
Robert McGee, *Shoemaker*.
Thos. F. Dooley, *Asst. Shoemaker*.
Henry McDonald, *Blacksmith*.
Benj. E. Buckman, *Carpenter*.
Philip E. Brown, *Quarryman*.
John De Mott, "
T. W. Rowland, *Engineer*.
Geo. Grassel, *Gardener*.
Henry Miner, *Coxswain*.
A. H. Quick, *Mason*.
James Mahoney, *Stone-cutter*.
Twelve Keepers.
Five Guards.
John Schureman, *Asst. Carpenter*.
Ellen H. Halliwell, *Matron*.

Penitentiary Hospital.

Wm. W. Sanger, *Resident Phys'n*.
A. C. Reed, *Assistant Physician*.
A. W. Woodhull, " "
J. E. Leavitt, " "
J. C. Selden, " "
B. Letcher, " "
C. P. Frost, " "
S. N. Gross, " "
W. T. White, *Assistant Physician*.
C. W. Packard, " "
John Atkinson, *Apothecary*.
Sarah Knox, *Matron*.
Elizabeth Purcell, "
B. B. Sibell, *Steward*.
Thomas Smith, *Clerk*.

Randall's Island.

Harmon Eldridge, *Warden*.
John Verhoff, *Coxswain*.
P. S. Dorland, *Farmer*.
W. O. Webb, *Keeper City Cemetery, Ward's Island*.
Jas. McGirney, *Keeper*.
O. Fitzpatrick, *Gardener*.
Play-room.
Sewing-room.
Mary Baldwin, *Nurse*.
Ann Brady, "

Nursery.

Rufus Ripley, *Keeper.*
Ebenezer Jessup, *Engineer.*
John Torrey, *Tailor.*
Jane Ley, *Matron.*
Emeline Morgan, *Asst. Matron.*
Margaret W. Fort, " "
Leah E. Strang, " "
Ellen H. Barnette, " "
Charlotte Bottner, " "
Anne Robinson, " "
Sixty-five Nurses and Assistants.

Nursery Hospital.

Henry N. Whittelsey, *Res. Phys'n.*
D. McL. Miller, *Asst. Physician.*
John Grammer, " "
Jackson Hart, *Apothecary.*
Mary Strong, *Matron.*
Bridget Byron, *Asst. Matron.*
Thirty-one Nurses and Assistants.
T. B. Tappan, *Store keeper and Cl'k.*

Store-house, B. I.

Nehem'h P. Anderson, *Store-keeper.* S. M. Drew, *Clerk.*

BAKE-HOUSE.

Alfred Chancellor, *Baker.* Thomas P. White, *Clerk.*

Work-house, B. I.

Joseph Keen, *Superintendent.*
Saml. Reynolds, *Dep.* "
Charles W. Smyth, *Clerk.*
Nancy M. Jameson, *Matron.*
Ann P. Brady, "
Isaac Hampton, *Carpentr.*
Lewis Winter, *Shoemaker.*
John Slatterly, *Engineer.*
Twelve Keepers.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office, 51 Chambers street.

Richard Busteed, *Counsel to Corporation*.....102 Madison avenue.
M. V. B. Wilcoxen, *Asst.* "
Rinaldo H. French, *Clerk* " Williamsburgh.
P. C. Lee, " " 315 Tenth street.
A. H. Wilson, " " Brooklyn.

BUREAU OF CORPORATION ATTORNEY.

Office, 51 Chambers street.

Geo. H. Purser, *Corporation Attorney*.....43 Oak street
D. McGregor, 1*st Clerk*.....25th street.
2*d* "

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Office, 51 Chambers street.

Chas. A. May, *Public Administrator*.....190½ West 26th street.

TAX COMMISSIONERS.

Office, 43 Chambers street.

Jno. W. Allen, *Tax Commissioner*.....136 Thompson street
Amor J. Williamson, " 53 Gold street.
Josiah W. Brown, " 16 Greenwich street.
George L. Loutrel, *Clerk*.....576 Broome street.
Jas. Andrews, jr., " c. 6th av. and 27th st.
Thaddeus B Glover, "
Wm. Coles, *Messenger*.....115 Elizabeth street.

PRINTER TO THE BOARDS OF ALDERMEN AND COUNCILMEN.

C. W. Baker.....29 Beekman street.

PRINTERS TO THE DEPARTMENTS.

Bowne & Hasbrouck.....174 and 176 Pearl st.

STATIONERS TO THE DEPARTMENTS.

Wm. H. Arthur & Co.....c. Nassau and Liberty sts.

REGULATOR OF PUBLIC CLOCKS.

William H. Faulkner.....459 Broadway.

WARD OFFICERS.

FIRST WARD.

Assessors.	*Constables.*
Robert Walker,	Andrew Carey,
Wm. Jennett.	William Foster.

SECOND WARD.

Julian Botts,	Nich. J. Nagel,
Jas. Sheridan.	William Thompson.

THIRD WARD.

Edwin Meredith,	Alexander Thompson,
Edwin N. Hyde.	Thomas McCarthy.

FOURTH WARD.

Thomas Fitzgerald,	Jas. Powers,
Patrick Crowe.	Michael Doody.

FIFTH WARD.

John M. Bennett,	Henry West,
Wm. Woodruff.	Ludolph Gerner.

SIXTH WARD.

John Martin,	James Glass,
Ed. J. McGloin.	James Nesbitt.

Assessors.	*Constables.*
	SEVENTH WARD.
John Poynton,	Christopher T. Klenck,
John L. Duryee.	Michael Shandley.
	EIGHTH WARD.
N. W. Allard,	Robert Reid,
Robt. Linn.	Abraham Moses.
	NINTH WARD.
James D. B. Allaire,	William Kuger,
Levi Onderdonk.	Benj. D. Wisner.
	TENTH WARD.
William Van Duzer,	J. F. Badenhop,
Ed. H. Dominick.	Denison H. Cornell.
	ELEVENTH WARD.
Enoch Lewis,	Lloyd Bryant,
Wm. A. Lockwood.	Henry Dreher.
	TWELFTH WARD.
Stephen Lutz,	John U. Gent,
Adonijah Hyler.	John R. Farrington.
	THIRTEENTH WARD.
John B. Ryerson,	Israel F. Cohen,
J. M. Averell.	John W. Somerindyke.
	FOURTEENTH WARD.
William S. Cole,	Isaac Jones,
Daniel Slevin.	Richard Carpenter.
	FIFTEENTH WARD.
R. Sedgwick, jr.,	John H. Hillier,
Isaac M. Phyfe.	Jas. J. Gumbleton.
	SIXTEENTH WARD.
Edward Berrian,	Thomas McTaggart,
Tim. L. West.	Benjamin J. Carr.
	SEVENTEENTH WARD.
Dudley B. Andrews,	Wash. Q. Hutton,
Peter Lutz.	Miles T. Connolly.
	EIGHTEENTH WARD.
William R. Loudon,	Henry Bishop,
Chas. B. Cornell.	Augustus Jibbeons.
	NINETEENTH WARD.
John D. Hoyt,	John McGlynn,
John Leeder.	Patrick Flynn.
	TWENTIETH WARD.
Joseph Miller,	Lewis Hucker,
John Doyle.	William Keenan.



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Union Square, N.Y. 1856.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

Assessors.	*Constables.*
James Dennis,	John Asley,
John G. Shirling.	Augustus Johnson.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD

Edward Timpson,	Thomas Cushing,
Henry Schnorr.	Micajah M Staniels

NOTE.—The first-named Assessor in each of the wards serves for the term of one year, and the second-named, for the term of two years.

The officers of the Board are, for 1857 :

ISAAC M PHYFE, *President*, 138 Amity street.
EDWARD H. DOMINICK, *Secretary*, 292 Grand street.

JUSTICES' OR DISTRICT COURTS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards, 82 Nassau street, James Green, *Justice ;* I. B. Batchelor, *Clerk.*

Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, the Park, corner Chambers and Centre streets. Bartholomew O'Connor, *Justice ;* T. F. Peers, *Clerk.*

Third District—Eighth and Ninth Wards, Greenwich avenue, Jefferson Market. William B Meech, *Justice ;* W. E. Smith, Jr., *Clerk.*

Fourth District—Tenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Wards, Bowery, corner of Third street. William H. Van Cott, *Justice ;* David Seaman, *Clerk.*

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, Clinton street, corner Grand street. John Anderson, Jr., *Justice ;* E. S. McPherson, *Clerk.*

Sixth District—Sixteenth, Eighteenth, Twentieth and Twenty-first Wards, Broadway. Anson Willis, *Justice ;* John Waite, *Clerk.*

Seventh District—Twelfth, Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, corner Eighty-sixth street and Fourth avenue. Thomas Pearson, *Justice.*

Eighth District—For Police Magistrates only, Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards.

Sixth District—For Police Magistrates only, Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards.*

* For Police Magistrates, see another portion of this work.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.
No. 10 City Hall.

Richard B. Connolly, *County Clerk*.....309 Henry street.
David A. Fowler, *Deputy County Clerk*.....105 Varick street.
William Sinclair, *Clerk Sup Court in Equity*....44 Franklin street.
Horatio P. Carr, " " *Law*.....92 E. Thirtieth st.

Benjamin Cohen, *Assist. Dep. County Cl'k*.....112 Hamersley st.
David J. Chatfield, *Cl'k G. Term S. Crt*.....54th street, 9th av.
W. H. Dusenbury, " *Spec.* " 134 Charles street.
Allen M. Sniffen, " *Circuit Sup. Crt*.....54 Great Jones street.
Richard Beamish, " *Chambers*.....
Albert G. Wallace, *Assist. Dep. Sup. Crt*.....383 Broome street.
Charles W. Kip, *Recording Clerk*.....3d a. b. 84th & 85th st.
John Martin, " " 44 Barclay street.
James Waldron.....161 Grand street.
Thomas Cowen.....86 E. 17th street.
John M. French.....308 Pearl street.
James Nack, *Searcher*.....73 Amos street.
Edward C. McConnell, *Assistant Searcher*.....36 Broome street.
James Magary, " " 4 W. Broadway pl.
Theodore M. Squires, *Messenger*.....c. Jackson & South sts.
North West, *Clerk of Records*.....20 Market street.
John Poynton, *Clerk*.....

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Benjamin H. Jarvis, *Clerk*.....44 W. 28th street.
Nathaniel Jarvis, Jr., *Deputy Clerk*.....Harlem.
Richard J. Clark, *Clerk to General Term*.....86th street.
R. S. Cummings, *Cl'k, Trial Term, part 1st*.....29 Amity street.
H. M. Herrick, " " *part 2d*.....166 W. 25th street.
Thomas Boese, *Clerk at Chambers*.....242 Elizabeth street.
John Brown, *Naturalization Clerk*.....246 Monroe street.
Recording Clerk.....

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

No. 11 City Hall.

James C. Willett, *High Sheriff*.
James S Willett, *Under Sheriff*.
Charles F. Wooster, *Assistant Under Sheriff*.
Frederick L. Vulte, *Deputy Sheriff*.
John McKibbin, Jr., *Clerk in Equity and Corresponding Sec. to Sheriff*.
James B. Bensell, *Deputy Sheriff*.
H. Stern, "
Hugh Crombie, "
Joseph Cornell, "
John T. Stewart, "
John Wilson, "
Cha's. F. Lineback, "
Aaron B. Rollins, "

Solomon Kipp, *Jailor.*
Stephen Gardner, *Deputy Jailor.*
Walter Miller and James Bertholf, *Special Deputies.*
R. David, *Collector.*

SHERIFF'S JURY FOR 1857.

Will meet for the purpose of taking inquests, and for trial of claims, and such other business as may be brought before them, on Monday of each week, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

First Panel—Every Monday of each week in January.				
"	"	"	"	March.
"	"	"	"	May.
"	"	"	"	July.
"	"	"	"	September.
"	"	"	"	November.
Second Panel	"	"	"	February.
"	"	"	"	April.
"	"	"	"	June.
"	"	"	"	August.
"	"	"	"	October.
"	"	"	"	December.

N B. There will be a Calendar placed in the Sheriff's Office, and the causes will be tried in the order they are placed thereon. No cause will be tried unless placed on the same before 12 o'clock on the day for which they are noticed.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

Office, No. 1 and 2 Hall of Records.

John J. Doane, *Register*.....90 West 27th street.
Thomas C. Acton, *Deputy Register*.....61 W. 13th street.
Lewis H. Watts, *Assistant Dep. Register*.....264 Seventh street.
Henry Miller, *Searcher*.....49 Lexington av.
John J. Wilson, " 27 Irving place.
E. W. De Grove, " 152 Charles street.
Nelson Samson, *Examiner*.....315 3d street.
George Mortimer, *Record. Clerk*.....152 Charles street.
Wm. F. T. Chapman, " 50 Sullivan street.
Benj. C. Dean, " 57½ Grand street.
William J. Davis, " 53 West 21st street.
Maurice Otter, "
M. C. Kelly, "
Dayton Britton, "
Wm. F. Gilley, "
Jeremiah Petty, " 23 Broome street.
Samuel Brevoort, " 101 Barrow street.
John J. Shaw, "

Samuel Jones, *Record. Clerk.* 163 W. 49th street.
James J. Kelso, "
Alfred E. Crooker, " 5 State street.
William Peel, " 69 Greene street.
Edward Cromwell, " 152 Charles street.
John Ahern, " 274 Spring street.
Charles B. Foot, " 6 Bayard street.
Henry C. Pratt, " 424 Hudson street.
L. G. Evans, " 187 Hudson street.
Abram C. Dayton, " 453 Fourth avenue.
Merwin N. Jones, " 7 College place.
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Gabriel Van Cott, *Chief Clerk*.....84 Columbia street.
Cornelius Minor, *General* " 594 Houston street.
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New Court-house.

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Office, 37 Chambers street.

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Ed. W. Connery, " 186 Henry street.
F. W. Perry, " 33d st., near 3d av.
S. A. Hills, " 125th street, n. 3d av.
John G. Parise, *Deputy Coroner*.....56 Market street.

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Office, No. 16 City Hall.

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Peter Lemon, *Naturalization Clerk*.....335 Eighth street.
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Henry Kiddle, *Asst.* " " 190 East 19th street.
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Lewis C. Meeks.....336 Front street.
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Theo. Keeler.....74 Second avenue.
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William Wessels.....375 Fourth avenue.
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Fernando Wood, *Mayor*.

HEALTH OFFICER.

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RESIDENT PHYSICIAN.

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D. T. Valentine, *Clerk.*

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COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION.

ORGANIZED BY ACT OF LEGISLATURE, MAY 5, 1847.

Office, No. 81 Worth street.

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Recording "	F. C. Gilmore, *Warden Mar. Hos*



INSIGNIA OF CHIEF OF POLICE.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

AN ACT

FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND REGULATION OF THE POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED MAY 7, 1844, BY A TWO THIRD VOTE.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

ARTICLE I—OF POLICE.

§3. The Corporation, by ordinance, shall divide the city into two or more Police Districts, in each of which districts shall be established a Police Court and office.

§4. The business of the Police Courts, in two of said police districts, shall be conducted by the Police Courts now established by law, in and for said city; and if the city shall be divided into more than two police districts, the Police Court which shall be established for such additional dis-

trict, shall possess all the powers, and be subject to all the laws relating to the police courts now established in and for said city. The Corporation, by ordinance, shall prescribe the time and place for holding such courts, and shall designate the magistrates and clerks for such police district.

§ 7. Captains of Police, within their respective districts, shall be Street Inspectors, Health Wardens, Fire Wardens and Dock Masters; and in the Twelfth Ward, in addition thereto, shall be Superintendent of Roads; such Captains, aided and assisted by the Assistant Captains of Police and policemen, shall do and perform all the duties heretofore performed by the several officers in this section mentioned.

§ 10. In case of the absence of the Captain, the duties required of him shall be performed by the First Assistant Captain, and in his absence, by the Second Assistant Captain, who, while acting in such capacity, shall possess and exercise the powers and rights of such captain.

§ 11. At any alarm of fire, it shall be the duty of the Captain of Patrol, nearest the scene of conflagration, forthwith to proceed to the same, with one half of the number of policemen off duty, to be diligent in preserving order and protecting property. In case of any riot, or any sudden emergency requiring the services of the police, on notice being given, the Captain of Police shall forthwith proceed to the scene of riot, with the whole of the police off duty, or any part thereof, and be vigilant in suppressing the same.

§ 16. A room shall be provided at each Police Court, for the deposit and preservation of property brought to said court. One of the clerks of said court, under the direction of the magistrates, shall be charged with the safe keeping of said property.

§ 17. The Mayor shall detail from the policemen a sufficient number to attend upon the Police Courts, serve the process of said courts, and to attend upon other courts of the city.

Article II—Of Chief of Police.

§ 1. The offices of Inspector of Hacks, Omnibuses, Cabs and Public Porters, Inspector and Deputy Inspector of Stages, Inspector of Carts, Keeper of Lands and Places, are hereby abolished; and all the duties performed by said officers shall be performed by the Chief of Police, aided and assisted by the Captains of Police, Assistant Captains of Police, and by the policemen, in pursuance of the rules and regulations of the Mayor, in accordance with the laws of the State and the ordinances of the Common Council.

§ 2. The Chief of Police, in and for the city and county of New York, shall possess the power of a special justice of the Police Court, to entertain complaints in all cases where crimes have been committed, to issue a precept for the arrest of the person charged with having committed a crime, and to commit the person arrested for examination, such examination to be taken by officers now authorized to take such examinations; and in all such cases shall proceed in the same manner and be governed

by all laws relating to Police Justices in like cases; and shall also possess all the powers now possessed by marshals appointed by the Mayor of the city of New York; he shall (subordinate to the Mayor) be the chief executive of the Police Department; he shall obey, and cause the Police Department under him to obey, the rules and regulations prescribed by the Mayor, in accordance with the laws of the United States, of this State, and the ordinances of the Common Council; he shall repair to the scenes of fires and riots, and take command of the police present, and may direct any or all the police of the city of New York to any place where their services may be deemed necessary.

§ 3. The Chief of Police shall have his office in the Mayor's office.

ARTICLE III—APPOINTMENTS AND REMOVALS.

§ 2. All vacancies in the office of the Chief of Police shall be filled in the same manner, and for the residue of the term.

§ 5. The Mayor shall, at least every three months, report to the Common Council the state of the police in practical operation, with such information in his possession as may promote the welfare and efficiency of the department, with such suggestions as he may deem proper.

§ 7. There shall be kept in the Mayor's office, a book, in which shall be entered the name of the Chief of Police, of each Captain, Assistant Captain, and policeman of each ward; the time of his appointment; the period for which he is appointed, and the time his office will expire; the time of any removal from office, or the recurring of a vacancy.

§ 8. The Chief of Police, Captains, Assistant Captains, and policemen, shall subscribe and take, before the Mayor, the constitutional oath of office, which oath shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council.

ARTICLE IV—COMPENSATION OF OFFICERS.

§ 3. In case of complaints for assault and batteries, the magistrate may require that the complainant pay the fees heretofore authorized by law. In case the examination shows that the complaint is just and legal, the magistrate shall return such fees to the complainant. Should such complaint be frivolous, or malicious and untrue, the magistrate may charge to the complainant, and receive from him, all the costs and fees now authorized in such proceedings, which costs and fees shall be paid to the clerks, who shall monthly pay all such fees into the city treasury, accompanying such payment with an affidavit or affirmation, that the sums so paid are all the fees received by them, for any matter or cause specified in this section.

§ 4. In the city and county of New York, except by the first and two Associate Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, there shall be no costs or fees charged or received upon any proceedings upon writs of habeas corpus, either by the Judge or Commissioner granting them, or by the officer serving them, or the jailor obeying their order, and the judge, be-

fore whom the matter shall be heard, shall, if the case be bailable, and the amount of bail shall have been fixed by the committing magistrate, only determine whether the party is lawfully committed, or is legally chargeable with the offence imputed, and shall not adjudicate upon the question of bail. The amount of bail ordered by the committing magistrate shall in such cases only be altered by a court having jurisdiction of the offence for which the prisoner was committed; and any officer violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to the pains and penalties for such offence; the First Judge and Assistant Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the city of New York, may charge the fees now allowed by law in such cases.

§ 5. The salaries of Captains, Assistant Captains, and patrolmen, shall be paid by the Comptroller, by warrant, semi-monthly. The Captains of the Patrol shall receive the pay of the patrolmen, and pay the same over to them as often as received, and immediately on the receipt thereof, and account therefor in such manner as shall be prescribed by ordinance of the Common Council. The Captains and Assistant Captains of Patrol shall give bonds for the faithful performance of all duties enjoined on them by this law, in the sum of three thousand dollars each, to be approved of by the Mayor and Comptroller. The clerks of the police shall give bonds with the like condition, to be approved in the like manner, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars.

§ 6. All ordinances, parts of ordinances, resolutions and acts now in force, and inconsistent with this act, shall be, and the same are hereby repealed.

§ 7. The powers and duties of the officers abolished by this act shall be possessed and performed by them until the officers created by virtue of this act are appointed, and enter upon their respective duties.

§ 8. All cognizance given to answer to a charge preferred, or for good behavior, or to appear and testify in all cases cognizable before courts of criminal jurisdiction, on being forfeited, shall be filed by the District Attorney, together with a certified copy of the order of the court forfeiting the same, in the office of the Clerk of the said city and county, and thereupon the said Clerk shall docket the same in the book kept by him for docketing of judgments, transcripts whereof are filed with him as such Clerk, as if the same was a transcript of a judgment record for the amount of a penalty; and the recognizance, and certified copy of the order forfeiting the recognizance, shall be the judgment record; such judgment shall, in good faith, be a lien on the real estate of the persons entering into such recognizance, from the time of filing said recognizance and copy, order, and docketing the same, as in this section directed; an execution may be issued to collect the amount of said recognizance in the same form as upon a judgment recovered in the Court of Common Pleas, of said city and county, in an action of debt, in favor of the people against the persons entering into such cognizance.

§ 9. All the costs and fees to be charged for entering such judgment and filing the necessary papers, shall be the usual fees to the clerk for filing papers and entering rules; the District Attorney shall receive no fee or compensation for his services in the matter, his salary being deemed compensation for all such services.

§ 10. No member of the Police Department, nor any magistrate or police officer, shall receive any present or reward for services rendered, or to be rendered, unless with the knowledge and approbation of the Mayor, such approbation to be given in writing, and entered in a book to be kept in the Mayor's office. Any officer who shall receive any present or reward, in violation of this section, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall also be removed from office.

§ 11. In cases of offences committed in the city and county of New York, upon persons being, at the time of the offence committed, in the said city and county, and being non-residents of the said city and county, either upon the person of such non-residents, or by taking or receiving from such non-residents money or property, the District Attorney may apply to any judge of said city and county, possessing the power of a Supreme Court Commissioner, for an order to take the testimony, *de bene esse*, of all witnesses in the matter of being in, but not residing in said city and county; such judge, in his discretion, may grant an order so to take such testimony, which order shall specify the length of notice of such examination that shall be given to the accused. The District Attorney shall serve upon the accused the notice so directed by such judge; the witness shall be examined in the presence of the accused; his direct and cross-examination shall be reduced to writing, in questions and answers, and shall be signed by the witness, and certified by the judge. The examination shall, by the officer taking the same, be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Sessions in the city and county of New York, and may be used before the Grand Jury, and all courts and tribunals having jurisdiction of the subject matter, in the same manner, and with the like effect, as the witness could be, was he personally present upon the trial of the accused; all questions may be raised to the admissibility of the testimony of the witness, and the questions and answers that could be raised to witness and his examination in open court.

§ 12. Such accused may, in like manner, on his part, on such notice given to the District Attorney, take the examination of non-resident witnesses, to be filed in the same office, and to be used with the like effect, subject to similar objections.

§ 13. There shall be no costs or fees charged by any judge or officers, in ordering, taking or filing such examinations, except by the first Judge and Assistant Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, who may charge and receive the same fees now allowed by law for taking examinations of witnesses.

§ 14. Sections four, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen of article IV. of this act, shall take effect immediately.

§ 15. All the other parts of this act shall take effect whenever the Mayor and Common Council of the city of New York, after the 15th day of May, 1844, shall, by ordinance, adopt this act; a certified copy of such ordinance shall be sent to, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State, and a copy of the same shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the city and county of New York, ten days before this act shall take effect. This act shall not be construed as requiring the Mayor and Common Council to adopt it.

The above includes all of the law not repealed by the provisions of the Act of 1846.

AN ACT

TO AMEND AN ACT, ENTITLED "AN ACT FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND REGULATION OF THE POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK." PASSED MAY 7TH, 1844.

PASSED MAY 13, 1846, BY A TWO THIRD VOTE.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

ARTICLE I—OF POLICE.

§ 1. The Watch Department, as at present organized, is hereby abolished, together with the office of Marshals, Street Inspectors, Health Wardens, Fire Wardens, Dock Masters, Day Police officers, Sunday officers, Inspectors of Pawnbrokers' and Junk shops, and of the officers to attend the polls at the several election districts of the city and county of New York, and the Superintendent of Roads of the Twelfth Ward of said city, except the office of Mayor's or First Marshal.

§ 2. In lieu of the Watch Department, and the various officers mentioned in the foregoing section, there shall be established a night and day police of, not to exceed nine hundred men, including Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen.

§ 3. The Police Department shall consist of the following officers:—Chief of Police, Captains and Assistant Captains of Police, Sergeants of Police, Policemen and Doormen.

§ 4. Each ward of the city of New York shall be a patrol district. The Corporation shall provide in each patrol district suitable accommodation for the patrol of such district, to be designated "Police Station-house." The patrol of each district shall consist of one Captain of Police, a first and second Assistant Captain of Police, two or more Sergeants, and such number of policemen as shall be appointed to the ward or district, by an ordinance of the Common Council.

§ 5. The Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen, shall, in and for the city of New York, possess all the power now possessed by

marshals appointed by the Mayor of the city and county of New York, except they shall not be entitled to execute civil process.

§ 6. The Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen of each district, in accordance with the rules and regulations prescribed by the Mayor, in conformity to the laws of the State, and the ordinances of the Corporation, shall watch and guard the district, day and night, and protect the polls at elections.

§ 7. The Chief of Police, Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen shall carry a suitable emblem or device, by which they may, when necessary, make themselves known.

8. It shall be the duty of the Sergeants and Policemen to obey such orders as they may, from time to time, receive from the Chief of Police, Captains and Assistant Captains of Police, respecting their duty; and to report, through the Captains and Assistant Captains, to the Chief of Police, all violations of the Corporation ordinances; to preserve the public peace; and it shall be the duty of the policemen to render every assistance and facility to ministers and officers of justice, and to report to the captains of their respective districts, all suspicious persons, all bawdy houses, receiving shops, pawnbrokers' shops, junk shops, second-hand dealing shops, gaming houses, and all places where idlers, tiplers, gamblers and other disorderly and suspicious persons congregate; to caution strangers and others against going into such places, and against pickpockets, watch-stuffers, droppers, mock-auctioneers, burners, and all other vicious persons; to direct strangers and others the nearest and safest way to their places of destination, and, when necessary, to cause them to be accompanied to their destination by one of the police, and to perform all other duties which shall be prescribed to them by ordinance of the Corporation.

§ 9. The clerks in each police office shall keep a proper book or books, in which shall be entered at length, a description of each and every article stolen, or other property which shall be brought to said offices, or which shall be taken from prisoners, and what disposition has been made thereof, and they shall attach a number to each and every article, and enter a corresponding number in said books. They shall also keep a receipt book for property delivered from said office; also a book to contain a statement of known burglaries, larcenies and stolen property; a correct transcript of which last-mentioned book shall be furnished each and every day to the Chief of Police, and perform any official service required of them by the Special Justice.

§ 10. Punctual attendance shall be required of every officer and patrolman connected with the department, on all occasions; sickness and disability only shall be an excuse for absence from duty, to be proved by the affidavit or affirmation in writing of the party, that he was actually sick or disabled, and unable to do duty by reason of such sickness or disability; and it shall be competent for the Captain of the district to administer the oath or affirmation.

§ 11. Any person or persons who shall falsely represent any of the mem-

bers of the Police Department of the city of New York, or who shall maliciously, with intent to deceive, use or imitate any of the signs, signals or devices adopted and used by the Police Department, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine, not less than five, nor more than two hundred and fifty dollars, or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

ARTICLE II—OF APPOINTMENTS AND REMOVALS.

§ 1. The Chief of Police shall be nominated by the Mayor to the Common Council, and, with their approval, shall be appointed by the Mayor. The Chief of Police must be a citizen of the United States, a citizen of the State of New York, and an actual resident of the city and county of New York. He shall hold his office for two years, unless sooner removed from office for cause. His removal from the city and county shall vacate his office.

§ 2. All vacancies in the office of the Chief of Police, shall be filled in the same manner.

§ 3. The Alderman and Assistant Alderman of each ward shall nominate to the Mayor, one Captain, one first Assistant Captain, one second Assistant Captain of Police, and as many policemen as the ward may be entitled to; the Mayor may appoint all or any of the persons thus nominated. Should the Mayor reject any such nominations, other persons shall in like manner be nominated to the Mayor for such places. Each of said persons, so nominated, must be a citizen of the United States, of the State of New York, and a resident of the ward for which he may be nominated. All vacancies in any of said offices shall be filled in like manner. Removal from the ward shall vacate either of said offices. The Captains, Assistant Captains and Policemen, shall hold their offices for two years from the date of their appointment, unless sooner removed under this act. The Captains of Police of the several Patrol districts shall appoint suitable policemen to perform the duties of Sergeants of Police.

§ 4. The Chief of Police, and the Captains of Police, shall have power to suspend policemen from office for cause; and the judges and justices shall have the like power in reference to policemen attending their courts. In all cases of suspension, the officer making the suspension shall, within twenty-four hours thereafter, notify the Mayor of such suspension, in writing, which notice shall specify the ground of such suspension, and contain the names of the witnesses to establish the charge. The Mayor shall receive from any person complaints for cause against the Chief of Police, Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants, Policemen and Doormen. In each case of suspension and complaint, the Mayor shall cause notice to the accused to be given, to afford him an opportunity to be heard in his defence. The Mayor, or, in his absence, the Chief of Police, shall examine witnesses under oath or affirmation, upon the charges and in defences, and the Mayor may, for cause, continue the suspension, remove the accused from office, or restore him to duty. The testimony shall be reduced to writing, which

testimony, together with the decision of the Mayor thereon, shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council; but in all cases in which the suspension is continued, the party suspended shall be deprived of his pay from the date of his suspension, and during the continuance of the same The Mayor shall have power to issue subpœnas to require the attendance of witnesses, as on the trial of such cases, and disobedience thereof shall render parties liable to the penalties provided by law in Courts of Record.

§ 5. In making appointments under this article, the Alderman and Assistant Alderman in each ward shall transmit to the Mayor a certificate of their nominations, which certificate, with the determination of the Mayor indorsed thereon, shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council.

§ 6. No person connected with the Police Department shall be liable to military or jury duty.

§ 7. In case of the refusal or neglect, from any cause, of the Alderman and Assistant to nominate the officers for the said ward, as hereinbefore provided, within twenty days after notice of any vacancy or vacancies occurring in either or all of said offices, then it shall be the duty of the Mayor to proceed forthwith to make said appointment and to fill said vacancy or vacancies.

§ 8. The Mayor, Chief of Police, and the Special Justices, and the Captains of Police, or by their, or by either of their order, shall have power to examine the books of any pawnbroker, and also to examine under oath, the pawnbroker, his clerk or clerks, if they deem necessary, when in search of stolen property; and any person having in his possession a pawnbroker's ticket, shall, when accompanied by a policeman, or by an order from the Mayor, Chief of Police, Captains of Police, or Special Justice, be allowed to examine the property purporting to be pawned by said ticket; but no property shall be removed from the possession of any pawnbroker without process of law, required by the existing laws of the state, or the laws and ordinances of the city of New York, regulating pawnbrokers.

ARTICLE III—OF COMPENSATION OF OFFICERS.

§ 1. The compensation of officers and patrolmen named in this law, shall be fixed by the Common Council, but shall not exceed the following sums, to wit: Chief of Police, one thousand six hundred dollars; Special Justices, one thousand five hundred dollars; Clerks of Police, eight hundred dollars; Captains of Patrol, seven hundred dollars; Assistant Captains, six hundred dollars; Sergeants and Policemen, five hundred dollars; Police officers, when sent out of the county on public business, shall be allowed all necessary expenses, upon the same being sworn to and approved by the Mayor, and allowed by the Board of Supervisors.

§ 2. No fees or compensation shall be charged or received by any magistrate, clerk, officer, policeman or constable, for the arrest of any prisoners, or for mileage, or for receiving any prisoner into the prison, or for discharging him from the same; and no fees or costs shall be charged or received

for the issuing of any warrant, subpœna or other process, or for the taking of a complaint, bail, or affidavit, except as hereinafter provided. Any magistrate or officer violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to the pains and penalties for such an offence.

§ 3. The Clerk of the Court of Sessions shall file, with the Chief of Police, a copy of all recognizances, given to answer to a charge preferred for any criminal offence, on the same being forfeited; and it shall be the duty of the Chief of Police to cause the same to be registered in a book to be kept for that purpose.

§ 4. It shall be the duty of the sheriff, in all cases of forfeited recognizances, placed by the District Attorney with him for collection, to report to the Chief of Police the moneys collected on such judgments, immediately after the receipt of the same; and in case the amount of the judgment cannot be collected upon any forfeited recognizances, he shall, immediately after the expiration of the time limited by law for making such collections, make a return of the same, with the causes of failure, to the Chief of Police, who shall, in all cases mentioned, enter into the book aforesaid the result thereof, opposite the names of the persons who had become bail in such cases.

§ 5. Upon receiving information from the sheriff of failure to collect the amount of any forfeited recognizances from the person or persons who had become bail in such case, the Chief of Police shall notify the Court of Sessions and the Police Courts, of the names of such persons, and it shall be the duty of the clerks of said courts, to register the same in a book to be kept in said court for that purpose.

§ 6. No person registered, as provided in the last preceding section, shall be received by any judge or magistrate, as bail for any person charged with any offence whatever; and in all cases of bail, taken for persons charged with any criminal offence, the judge or magistrate taking the same, shall require the persons, so becoming bail, to make affidavit, in writing that they are worth the amount for which they propose to become bail, which affidavit shall also include a description of the property constituting the amount of their liability.

§ 7. No officer authorized to let to bail a person charged with any criminal offence, shall accept as bail any member of the Police Department, keeper, assistant keeper, or turnkey of any prison, or place of detention, for persons charged with any criminal offence, or any attorney or counsellor practicing in the Court of Sessions.

§ 8. No officer, other than the committing magistrate, shall let to bail any person charged with a criminal offence, unless notice of the application to bail such persons shall have been given to the District Attorney of the city and county of New York, at least two days before such application, specifying the name of the officer, the time and place when and where such application will be made, and the names and residences of the proposed bail, and the original commitment and proofs upon which it is founded,

shall have been presented to the officer to whom the application for bail is made; the persons having the custody of such commitment and proofs shall, when required, in writing, produce the same before the officer last mentioned

§ 9. The examination of a non-resident witness, or a witness about to depart beyond the jurisdiction of the court, may, on the application of the District Attorney, or the party accused, upon his giving notice to the District Attorney, be taken in the manner provided in section eleven of article four, of the act hereby amended.

§ 10. Sections twenty and twenty-one of an act entitled "An act relative to the powers of the Common Council of the City of New York, and the Police and Criminal Courts of said city," passed January 23d, 1833, shall apply to carts and cartmen, cabs and cabmen, hackney coaches and hackney coachmen, stages and accommodation coaches, or omnibuses and their drivers, and public porters and hand-cartmen.

§ 11. Sections one, two, five, six, eight, nine, twelve, fourteen and fifteen, of article first, sections one, two, three, four and six, of article third; and sections one, two and twelve, of article fourth, of the law hereby amended, are repealed.

§ 12. Nothing contained in this act shall be construed to prevent the Captains, Assistant Captains and Policemen, already appointed under the act hereby amended, from holding their offices one year from the date of their respective appointments.

§ 13. The Board of Supervisors of the city and county of New York, shall have power to raise by tax the sum of fifty-seven thousand five hundred dollars, to defray the expense of the increase in the number of policemen provided for in this act, in case the Common Council shall deem such increase necessary.

§ 14. This act shall take effect on the thirteenth day of May, eighteen hundred and forty-six, except section two of article three, which shall take effect ten days after its passage.

AN ACT

IN RELATION TO JUSTICES' AND POLICE COURTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PASSED MARCH 30, 1818.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. The city of New York shall be divided into six judicial districts, in each of which there is hereby established a court, to be called the Justices' Court of the city of New York.

§ 2. The First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards of the said city, shall constitute and be the First Judicial District; the Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards of said city, the Second Judicial District; the Eighth and Ninth Wards of said city, the Third Judicial District; the Tenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Wards of said city, the Fourth Judicial District; the Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards of said city, the Fifth Judicial District; and the Twelfth, Sixteenth and Eighteenth Wards of said city, the Sixth Judicial District. In each of said districts hereby created, there shall be elected by the electors thereof, having the necessary qualifications required of a voter at any general election, a Justice to hold the court in said district.

§ 3 There shall be appointed by the Common Council of the city of New York, a clerk of each of the Justices' and Police Courts hereby established by this act, whose compensation shall be fixed by the Common Council and who shall hold his office for four years, from the second Tuesday of May next, and their compensation shall not be increased or diminished during their continuance in office.

§ 4. All the powers and duties which, by any law of this state, now in force, belonging to or are vested in the present Assistant Justices of the city of New York and their clerks, shall hereafter belong to and be vested in the justices and clerks to be elected or appointed by virtue of this act; and the said justices, so to be elected, shall have jurisdiction over, and authority to hear, try and determine all actions of contract or tort, where the sum claimed or recovered shall not exceed the sum of one hundred dollars; and actions of replevin, where the goods sought to be recovered do not exceed the sum of fifty dollars; and all suits by and against corporations in the city of New York, where the amount in controversy shall not exceed one hundred dollars; and the said office of Assistant Justice of the city of New York, and clerks of the said Assistant Justices' Court, and the said Assistant Justices' Courts, from and after the second Tuesday of May, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, are hereby abolished.

§ 5. The said justices shall be elected at the next annual charter election to be held in the city of New York, and once in every four years thereafter, at the annual charter election; they shall hold their respective offices for four years, and shall enter on their duties on the second Tuesday of May, after their election, respectively.

§ 6. The courts in said districts shall be held at such places in the said district respectively, as shall be designated and provided for by the Common Council of the city of New York; and no such court or any justice thereof shall be authorized to make any process of citation returnable, nor to hear or determine any cause or matter at any other place than the court-room of said court.

§ 7. There shall also be elected in each of the said districts, at the same election, and in the same manner, one Police Justice for the city of New York, who shall hold their office for four years, and shall enter on their duties on the second Tuesday of May next, after their election. The said

Police Justices shall have all powers, and perform all the duties of the Special Justices for preserving the peace in the city of New York, and the said offices of Special Justices for preserving the peace, and Clerks of Police, as heretofore existing, are hereby abolished from and after the time when the Police Justices and Clerks elected or appointed under this act shall enter on their duties.

§ 8. The Common Council shall, by ordinance, assign such police justices and clerks to such police offices and police courts, in rotation or otherwise, as the public business may require.

§ 9. The justices elected under the provisions of this act shall receive such an annual compensation for their services as shall be fixed by the Common Council of the city of New York, which annual compensation shall be in lieu of all fees or other perquisites, and shall not be increased or diminished during their continuance in office, and shall receive no other fees or perquisites whatever, by virtue of their offices. The justices and clerks to be elected or appointed in pursuance of this act, shall, on the first day of every month, or within three days thereafter, account, under oath, for all fees and perquisites, if any, of every kind and description, received by them by virtue of their offices, directly or indirectly, and pay the same into the treasury of the city of New York; and no justice or clerk shall perform any service for which a fee is allowed by law, until such fee is paid for the use of the city as aforesaid. The provisions of this section shall also apply to the Judges and Clerk of the Marine Court in said city, who shall, after the second Tuesday of May next, receive an annual compensation to be fixed by the Common Council of said city.

§ 10. All the provisions of law now in force, in reference to the commencement of suits, the mode of conducting them, the perfecting and obtaining satisfaction of judgment in the Assistant Justices' Courts of the city of New York, shall extend and apply to the courts established by the first section of this act.

§ 11. All the provisions of law in relation to charter elections in the city of New York, and the notices thereof, shall apply to the officers whose election is hereby provided for; and the said officers shall be voted for on one ballot, to be indorsed "Justices," and which shall be deposited in a separate box, to be provided for that purpose by the Common Council of said city.

§ 12. The present Assistant Justices and Special Justices for preserving the peace, are hereby required, on the second Tuesday of May, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, to deliver to the special justices and police justices, elected under this act, all their official papers and documents, and all papers and documents connected with any suits or proceedings which shall then be pending and undetermined in their respective courts; and the justices and police justices elected under this act, are hereby authorized to receive and demand the same; and such suits and proceedings so pending and undetermined, shall be continued before the said justices and police justices so elected, with the same effect and virtue as though before the said As-

sistant Justices and present Special Justices for preserving the peace; and all judgments rendered, may be executed by process to be issued by said justices. The courts hereby created, may issue all process necessary or proper to carry into effect the purpose of this act; and all constables and other officers are hereby authorized to perform all the duties, and to receive the fees in the courts hereby created, which they were authorized to perform in the courts hereby abolished, and may serve all process issued by said courts hereby created.

§ 13. This act shall take effect immediately.

AN ACT

TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT, ENTITLED AN ACT FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND REGULATION OF THE POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK," PASSED MAY 13, 1846.

PASSED APRIL 11, 1849, "THREE-FIFTHS BEING PRESENT."

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

§ 1. The tenth section of article first, of the act entitled "An act to amend an act, entitled an act for the establishment and regulation of the police of the city of New York," passed May 13, 1846, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 10. Punctual attendance shall be required of every officer, patrolman, and doorman, connected with the department, on all occasions; but nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the Mayor from relieving Captains, Sergeants, policemen, and doormen from duty for a limited time. The Mayor may also authorize Captains to relieve Sergeants, policemen and doormen from duty for a limited time. No compensation shall be allowed to such officers, patrolmen or doormen, for any period during which they may be absent from duty, except by the Mayor, in cases in which he shall be satisfied that the absence was consequent upon disease or injury contracted in the public service.

§ 2. The sixteenth section of article first is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

§ 16. A room shall be provided at each police court for the deposit and preservation of all property brought to said court. One of the clerks of said courts, under the direction of the magistrates, shall be charged with the safe keeping of said property. It shall be the duty of any magistrate or clerk with whom any such deposit shall be made, to give a receipt, in writing, describing the same, for such property, to any officer or other person making such deposit, or bringing in such property.

§ 3. The first section of article second of said act, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

§ 1. The Chief of Police shall be nominated by the Mayor to the Common Council, and with their approval shall be appointed by the Mayor. The Chief of Police must be a citizen of the United States, a citizen of the state of New York, and an actual resident of the city and county of New York. He shall hold his office during the term of the Mayor, and thirty days thereafter, unless sooner removed for cause. His removal from the city and county shall vacate his office.

§ 4. The third section of article second of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows, viz:

§ 3. The Alderman and Assistant Alderman of each Ward shall nominate to the Mayor one Captain, one First Assistant Captain, one Second Assistant Captain of Police, and as many policemen as the Ward shall be entitled to. The Mayor may appoint all or any of the persons thus nominated. Should the Mayor reject any such nominations, other persons shall in like manner be nominated for such places. Each of said persons so nominated, must be a citizen of the United States, of the state of New York, and a resident of the Ward for which he may be nominated. All vacancies in any of said offices shall be filled in like manner. Removal from the Ward shall vacate either of said offices. The Captains, Assistant Captains and policemen, hereafter to be appointed, shall hold their offices for four years from the date of their appointment, unless sooner removed under this act. The Captains of Police of the several patrol districts shall appoint suitable policemen to perform the duties of Sergeants of Police.

§ 5. The fourth section of article second of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows, viz:

"§ 4. The Chief of Police and the Captains of Police shall have power to suspend policemen from office for cause, and the Judges and Justices shall have like power in reference to policemen attending their courts. In all such cases of suspension, the officer making the suspension shall, within twenty-four hours thereafter, notify the Mayor of such suspension, in writing, which notice shall specify the grounds for such suspension, and contain the names of the witnesses to establish the charge. The Mayor shall receive, from any person, complaints for cause against the Chief of Police, Captains, Assistant Captains, policemen and doormen. In each case of suspension and complaint, the Mayor shall cause notice to the accused to be given, to afford him opportunity to be heard in his defence. The Mayor, or, in his absence, the Chief of Police, (except in cases of charges against himself,) shall examine witnesses, under oath or affirmation, upon the charges and in defence, and the Mayor may, for cause, continue the suspension, remove the accused from office, or restore him to duty. In all cases in which the suspension is continued, the party suspended shall be deprived of his pay from the date of his suspension, and during the continuance of the same; but he shall not, at any time, be exempted from the performance of duty, unless the officer making such suspension shall so

expressly order; unless and until such order be made, a suspension under this section shall only mean a suspension from pay. The testimony to be reduced to writing, and the same, together with the decision of the Mayor thereon, shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council. The Mayor shall have power to issue subpœnas to require the attendance of witnesses on the trial of such cases; and disobedience thereof shall render parties liable to the penalties provided by law in Courts of Record.

§ 6. The eighth section of article second of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 8. The Mayor, Chief of Police, and the Police Justices and the Captains of Police, or by their, or by either of their orders, shall have power to examine the books of any pawnbroker, his clerk, or clerks, if they deem it necessary, when in search of stolen property; and any person having in his possession a pawnbroker's ticket, shall, when accompanied by a police man, or by an order from the Mayor, Chief of Police, Captain of Police, or Special Justice, be allowed to examine the property purporting to be pawned by said ticket; but no property shall be removed from the possession of any pawnbroker without the process of law required by the existing laws of this State, or the laws and ordinances of the city of New York regulating pawnbrokers. A refusal or neglect to comply, in any respect, with the provisions of this section, on the part of any pawnbroker, his clerk or clerks, shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and punished as such.

§ 7. The first section of article third of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 1. The compensation of officers and patrolmen named in this act shall be fixed by the Common Council, and shall not be increased or diminished during the time for which they are appointed. Police officers, when sent out of the county on public business, shall be allowed all necessary expenses, upon the same being sworn to, and approved by the Mayor, and allowed by the Board of Supervisors.

§ 8. All laws inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

§ 9. This act shall take effect on the first day of June next.

AN ACT

IN RELATION TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, PASSED APRIL 13, 1853.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

ARTICLE 1.

SECTION 1. The Police Department of the city of New York shall consist of the following named officers: Chief of Police, Captains of Police, Lieutenants of Police, Sergeants of Police, policemen and doormen; but the

present Assistant Captains shall be known as Lieutenants after the passage of this bill, and shall continue to hold their offices until the expiration of the terms for which they were appointed such Assistant Captains.

§ 2. Each Ward in the city of New York shall be a patrol district. The Common Council shall provide in each patrol district suitable accommodation for the patrol of each district, to be designated "Police Station-house." The patrol of each district shall consist of one Captain of Police, a First and Second Lieutenant of Police, or two or more Sergeants of Police and such a number of policemen and doormen as shall be appointed to the district.

§ 3. The Chief of Police, Captains, Lieutenants and Sergeants of Police and policemen in and for the city and county of New York shall possess all the power now possessed by the constables of said city and county, except that they shall not be entitled to execute civil processes.

§ 4. The Chief of Police, Captains, Lieutenants and Sergeants of Police, policemen and doormen, in accordance with the rules and regulations prescribed in conformity to the laws of the United States, of this State, and the ordinance of the Common Council, shall watch and guard the city, day and night, and protect all general and primary elections.

§ 5. The Chief of Police, Captains, Lieutenants and Sergeants of Police, policemen and doormen, shall wear a suitable emblem or device, to be prescribed by the Commissioners of Police.

§ 6. Captains of Police shall be dock-masters within their respective districts, and aided and assisted by the Lieutenants of Police and policemen, shall do and perform all the duties heretofore performed by dock-masters.

§ 7. It shall be the duty of Sergeants, policemen and doormen to obey such orders as they may, from time to time, receive from the Chief of Police, Captains or Lieutenants of Police, respecting their duty; to report, through the Captains and Lieutenants, to the Chief of Police all violations of the Corporation ordinances, who shall report the same, forthwith, to the Corporation Attorney; to preserve the public peace; to render every assistance and facility to ministers and officers of justice; to report all suspicious persons, bawdy-houses, receiving shops, pawnbrokers' shops, junk shops, second-hand dealers' shops, gaming-houses, all places where idlers, tiplers, gamblers, and other disorderly and suspicious persons congregate; to caution strangers and others against going into such places, and against pick-pockets, watch stuffers, droppers, mock-auctioneers, burners, and other vicious persons; to direct strangers and others to the nearest and safest way to their places of destination, and, when necessary, to cause them to be accompanied to their destination by one of the police, and perform all other duties which shall be prescribed

§ 8. Punctual attendance shall be required of every officer, Sergeant, policeman and doorman connected with the Department on all occasions, but nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the Mayor from relieving Captains, Lieutenants, Sergeants, policemen and doormen for any period during which they may be absent from duty without permission,

except in cases of absence consequent upon disease or injury contracted in the public service, and in all cases such officers, Sergeants, policemen and doormen who are absent from duty in consequence of disease and injuries contracted in the public service shall receive full pay.

§ 9. In case of the absence of the Captain of Police, the duties required of him shall be performed by a First Lieutenant of Police, and in his absence by a Second Lieutenant of Police, who, while acting in such capacity, shall possess and exercise the powers and rights of such Captain. In case of the absence of a Lieutenant, by reason of sickness or disability, the Captain may, with the consent of the Chief of Police, substitute a Sergeant, who shall, for the time being, possess all the powers of a Lieutenant of Police.

§ 10. Any person or persons who shall falsely represent any of the members of the Police Department of the city of New York, or who shall, with intent to deceive, use or imitate any of the emblems, signs, signals or devices adopted and used by the Police Department, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine not less than two hundred and fifty dollars, or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

§ 11. At any alarm of fire it shall be the duty of the Captain of Police, nearest the scene of conflagration, forthwith to proceed to the same with the reserve force of their command; to be diligent in preserving order and protecting property. In cases of riot, or any sudden emergency requiring the services of the police, the Captain of Police shall forthwith proceed to the scene of riot with the whole police off duty, or any part thereof, and be vigilant in suppressing the same.

§ 12. The Mayor shall detail from the policemen a sufficient number to attend upon and serve the process of criminal courts in said city and county.

ARTICLE II.

§ 1. The Chief of Police shall be nominated and appointed by the Mayor, with the approval of the Board of Commissioners first named in the third article of this bill.

§ 2. He shall (subordinate to the Mayor) be the chief executive of the Police Department, and shall obey, and cause the Police Department under him to obey, the rules and regulations prescribed in accordance with the provisions of this act.

§ 3. He shall repair to the scenes of fire, and with the assistance of the police force, use every exertion to save and protect property, and remove, or cause to be removed, all idle or suspicious persons from the vicinity of the fire.

§ 4. He shall repair to the scenes of riot and all tumultuous or unlawful assemblages, and with the aid of the police force, use every exertion to disperse or arrest such persons as he may find engaged in breaking the peace, or who may aid or abet others so to do.

§ 5. He shall direct any or all of the police force to perform such duties

as he may deem necessary for the preservation of the public peace, and prevention of crime, and the discipline and efficiency of the Department.

§6. He shall be aided and assisted by the members of the Police Department, be the superintendent of cabs and cabmen, hackney coaches and hackney cabmen, stages and accommodation coaches or omnibuses, and their drivers, carts and cartmen, and all persons employed to drive carts through the streets and lanes of the city of New York, public porters, hand cartmen, venders of charcoal, fire-wood, hard coals and boats and boatmen. He shall also be inspector of pawnbrokers' shops and second-hand dealers' shops, and intelligence offices.

§7. He shall, with the approval of the Board of Aldermen, appoint a clerk, who shall be known and designated as Clerk to the Chief of Police, and who shall perform all such duties as the Chief of Police shall direct.

§8. All vacancies in the office of the Chief of Police shall be filled in the same manner as prescribed in section first of article second of this act.

§9. In all cases where persons are arrested upon criminal charges, they shall, with as little delay as possible, be conducted before a magistrate, to be dealt with according to law.

ARTICLE III.

§1. The Mayor, Recorder and City Judge shall constitute a Board of Commissioners, for the trial of Officers, policemen and doormen of the Police Department; and all officers, policemen and doormen shall be appointed by the same Board, in the manner herein provided; but no member of the Police Department shall be reappointed, who shall have resigned before the expiration of his term of office.

§2. Every officer, policeman and doorman must be a citizen of the United States, of the State of New York, and a resident of the ward for which he may be appointed, and, previous to his appointment, shall present to the Mayor a certificate, signed by twenty-five reputable citizens, (two thirds of whom must reside in the ward at the time of signing the certificate,) certifying that they have been personally acquainted with the applicant for five years last past, and that during that time said applicant has borne a good character for honesty, morality and sobriety. He must also present to the Mayor a certificate from a surgeon of the Police Department, certifying that he has professionally examined said applicant, and that he is a man of sound body, and robust constitution, and is able to sustain the usual labors and exposures of a patrolman. He must also establish, to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, that he, the said applicant, can read with ease, and write legibly the English language; that he well understands the first four rules of arithmetic; and that he is a proper person to appoint to said office. All vacancies in any of said offices shall be filled in like manner. Removal from the ward shall vacate either of the said offices. The members of the Police Department, appointed after this act shall have gone into effect, shall hold their offices during good behavior, and shall only be removed for cause, as hereinafter provided.

§ 3. The Mayor, Recorder and Chief of Police of the city and county of New York shall constitute a Board of Commissioners to prescribe rules for the discipline, conduct and government of police officers and policemen, which shall be binding, under penalty of removal or suspension.

§ 4 The Chief of Police and Captains of Police shall have power to suspend Sergeants, policemen and doormen for cause, and Judges and Justices shall have like power in reference to policemen detailed to their courts. In all such cases of suspension, the officer making the suspension shall notify the Mayor or Chief of Police of such suspension, in writing, which notice shall specify the grounds for such suspension, and contain the names of witnesses to establish the charge. The Mayor may receive from any person complaints for cause against the Chief of Police, Captains, Lieutenants, Sergeants, policemen and doormen. In each case of suspicion and complaint, notice to the accused shall be given, to afford him an opportunity to be heard in his defence. The accused party may in all cases appear by counsel, and compel the attendance of witnesses in his behalf. The Board of Commissioners shall examine witnesses, under oath or affirmation, upon the charges and in defence, and may, for cause, continue the suspension, remove the accused from office, or restore him to duty. In all cases in which the suspension is continued, the party suspended shall be deprived of his pay from the date of his suspension, and during the continuance of the same. But he shall not, at any time, be exempted from the performance of duty, unless the officer making such suspension shall so expressly order, and until such order be made, a suspension, under this section, shall only mean a suspension from pay. The testimony, in each case of suspension, shall be reduced to writing, and the same, together with the decision thereon, shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council. Either Commissioner shall have power to issue subpœnas to require the attendance of witnesses on the trial of such cases, and disobedience thereof shall render parties liable to the penalties provided by law in Courts of Record.

§ 5. The Chief of Police shall, at least every six months, report to the Mayor the state of the police in practical operation, with such other information in his possession as may promote the welfare and efficiency of the Department, with such suggestions as he may deem proper. The Mayor shall submit the said report to the Common Council within five days thereafter, should the Common Council be then in session, and if not, at the first meeting of the next regular session, accompanying the same with such remarks and suggestions as he may deem proper.

§ 6. There shall be kept in the office of the Chief of Police a book, in which shall be entered the names of each and every officer, sergeant, policeman and doorman connected with the Police Department, as hereinbefore mentioned, the time of appointment in each case, the time of any removal from office, or the recurring of any vacancy.

ARTICLE IV.

§ 1. The compensation of all officers, policemen and doormen, shall be fixed by the Common Council. Police officers, when sent out of the county on public business, shall be allowed all necessary expenses, upon the same being sworn to by said officers, and approved by the Mayor, and allowed by the Board of Supervisors.

§ 2. The salaries of Captains, policemen, Sergeants, policemen and doormen, shall be paid by the Comptroller by warrant, semi-monthly, on the same being indorsed as correct by the Chief of Police. The Captains of Police, and in their absence, the Lieutenants of Police shall receive the pay of the Sergeants, policemen and doormen, and pay the same over to them as often as received, and immediately on receipt thereof, and shall account therefor, under oath, as shall be prescribed by ordinance of the Common Council. The Captains and Lieutenants of Police shall give bonds for the faithful performance of all duties enjoined on them by this act, in the sum of three thousand dollars each, to be approved by the Mayor and Comptroller.

§ 3. All officers, policemen and doormen hereinbefore mentioned, shall subscribe and take, before the Mayor, the constitutional oath of office, which oath shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council.

§ 4. No member of the Police Department, no magistrate, clerk of police, nor any person authorized by law to arrest persons charged with criminal offences, shall demand or receive any present or reward for services rendered or to be rendered, unless with the knowledge and approbation of the Mayor; such approbation to be given in writing, and to be entered in a book to be kept in the Mayor's office. Any such officer, who shall demand or receive any present or reward in violation of this section, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; and on complaint being made to the Mayor, he shall forthwith summon the accused, together with the witnesses to establish the charge, to appear before the Board of Commissioners; and on the charge being established by the testimony of competent witnesses, they shall immediately remove the accused from office.

§ 5. Sections twenty and twenty-one of an act entitled "An act relative to the powers of the Common Council of the city of New York, and the Police and Criminal Courts of said city," passed January 23, 1853, shall apply to all penal ordinances passed by the Common Council of said city.

§ 6. No person connected with the Police Department, shall be liable to military, fire or jury duty.

§ 7. All ordinances, parts of ordinances, resolutions and acts now in force and inconsistent with this act, shall be, and the same are hereby repealed.

§ 8. This act shall take effect immediately.

AN ORDINANCE

REGULATING THE POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York, in Common Council convened, do ordain as follows:

§ 1. The city is hereby divided into three districts, as follows:

The First District shall comprise the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Wards.

The Second District shall comprise the Eighth, Ninth, Twelfth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Eighteenth Wards.

The Third District shall comprise the Seventh, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Seventeenth Wards.

§ 2. In each of said districts there shall be a Police Court and office. The business of the police offices already established shall continue to be conducted where they are now located, until otherwise directed by the Corporation. The police office for the First District shall continue to be held at the Halls of Justice in Centre street; for the Second District, at the Jefferson market, in the Ninth Ward, and for the Third District, at the Essex Market in the Tenth Ward.

§ 3. The magistrates and clerks of the Police Courts are hereby assigned as follows: Justices Osborn and Drinker to the First District; Justices Roome and Merritt to the Second District, and Justices Taylor and Ketchum to the Third District; Clerks, Hesty, Snow and Stewart to the First District; Clerks, Mountfort and Bleakley to the Second District, and Clerks, Frey and Corey to the Third District.

§ 4. The policemen of the various wards of the city of New York, including Captains, Assistant Captains and Sergeants, are hereby apportioned as follows:

To the First Ward—Fifty-nine.
To the Second Ward—Forty-three.
To the Third Ward—Forty-three.
To the Fourth Ward—Sixty.
To the Fifth Ward—Fifty-five.
To the Sixth Ward—Sixty-six.
To the Seventh Ward—Sixty-three.
To the Eighth Ward—Fifty-six.
To the Ninth Ward—Fifty.
To the Tenth Ward—Forty-eight.
To the Eleventh Ward—Forty-five.
To the Twelfth Ward—Thirty-three.
To the Thirteenth Ward—Forty-eight.
To the Fourteenth Ward—Fifty-four
To the Fifteenth Ward—Forty.
To the Sixteenth Ward—Forty-three.
To the Seventeenth Ward—Fifty-one.
To the Eighteenth Ward—Forty-three.

§ 5. The compensation to be paid to the officers mentioned in this ordinance shall be at the following rates:

To the Chief of Police, one thousand six hundred dollars per annum.

To the Special Justices, each one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

To the Clerk of Police, eight hundred dollars per annum.

To Captains of Police or Patrol, each seven hundred dollars per annum.

To the Assistant Captains, each six hundred dollars per annum.

To Sergeants and Policemen, each five hundred dollars per annum.

§ 6. The compensation of the officers mentioned in the preceding section shall be in the following manner:

To the Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen, by warrant, semi-monthly. The captains shall receive the pay of policemen and doormen within their districts, and pay the same over as soon as received, taking a receipt in a book to be provided for that purpose by each captain making returns to the Comptroller within two days after each payment, which return shall be sworn to by said captains, before some person authorized to administer oaths, as a just and true account of all the moneys received, and that they have paid the same in money, without deduction, to the several policemen and doormen, according to their several receipts, contained in said returns.

§ 7. When any officer mentioned in this ordinance shall die, or forfeit his office, or be removed therefrom, compensation, at the rates hereinbefore prescribed, shall be paid up to the time of such death, forfeiture or removal, to his legal representative, if he be deceased.

§ 8. The Mayor is hereby authorized to appoint one or more suitable and discreet persons, removable at his pleasure, who shall be known and designated as Clerks to the Chief of Police, and shall perform all such duties as may be required by the Mayor and Chief of Police The salary of such clerk or clerks shall not, together, exceed the sum of one thousand dollars per annum.

§ 9 The Captains, Assistant Captains, Sergeants and Policemen, shall receive a certificate of appointment from the Mayor, and before entering on the duties of their respective offices, shall take and prescribe an oath or affirmation well and truly to perform the duties thereof.

§ 10. The Mayor shall have power to prescribe rules and regulations for the government of the police, and from time to time alter and amend the same, as in his judgment may be deemed necessary.

§ 11. Such portions of the following buildings and places in the city of New York as are hereby designated, are appropriated as a portion of the City Prison and Bridewell of the said city, viz: the building known as the Station-house, near Jefferson market, in the Ninth Ward; the building owned by the Corporation, in the rear of Essex market, in the Tenth Ward, and the various Station-houses in the different districts.

§ 12. The Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen shall appoint two persons for their wards, whose duty it shall be to attend at the Station-houses of

the wards respectively, to keep the same in order, and act as door-keepers, and do such other duties as may be required of them by the Captains of Police of said wards respectively, to be paid each seven dollars per week for such services. The said persons so to be appointed to be removable by the said Aldermen and Assistants.

§ 13. Policemen who shall necessarily incur an expense in conveying a person before a magistrate, or to a police Station-house, or to the hospital, by the employment of a cart or any other vehicle for that purpose, shall be refunded such expense, upon presenting to the Chief of Police, the certificate of the magistrate or captain before whom the person shall be brought, stating that such person was brought by him to the office on a cart or other vehicle The certificate shall be in the following words, to wit:

No. Police District, No.

This is to certify, that Policeman
has brought to this office,
in Amount $

New York, 185

To George W. Matsell,
Chief of Police. Special Justice.

§ 14. The Chief of Police is hereby authorized, when the necessity may arise, to draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, to defray the expenses necessarily incurred by policemen in conveying persons as aforesaid, and his own traveling expenses, or other purposes provided for in this ordinance. The same to be accounted for to the Comptroller, by a return of the vouchers for the money so expended, as often as he shall have occasion to renew the draft, such draft being first approved by the Mayor.

§ 15. The Captains of Police, or in their absence, the Assistant Captains of Police, are hereby authorized to furnish food to persons in custody in the various police Station-houses, who they have reason to believe are in a suffering or starving condition, and the expenses thereof, when duly certified by the Captain or either of the Assistant Captains of Police, shall be paid by the Chief of Police.

§ 16. Policemen who shall necessarily incur an expense by conveying stolen or other property to the office of the Chief of Police, Police Courts or police Station-houses, shall be refunded such expense, on presenting to the Chief of Police the certificate of the magistrate or captain of police to whom such property was delivered.

§ 17. The Captain and Assistant Captains of each ward shall be the keepers of the Station-house or houses in each ward, and shall be, for that purpose, deemed deputy keepers of the city prison.

§ 18. The several ordinances of the Corporation of the city of New York, now in force, in relation to carts and cartmen, cabs and cabmen, hackney coaches and hackney coachmen, stages and accommodation coaches, omni-

buses and omnibus drivers, public porters and hand cartmen, are hereby confirmed and ordained.

§ 19. It shall be the duty of the officers mentioned in this ordinance to see that the ordinances hereinbefore mentioned, and all ordinances of the Corporation to prevent evil practices in the city of New York, and in relation to the Police of said city, are enforced.,

§ 20. The ordinance passed June 15, 1845, entitled "An ordinance regulating the Police of the city of New York, and the ordinance passed January 27, 1846, entitled "An ordinance in addition to an ordinance entitled an ordinance to regulate the Police of the city of New York," and all ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, June 15, 1846.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 22, 1846.

Approved by the Mayor, June 23, 1846.

Resolved, That the ordinance, entitled "An ordinance, regulating the Police of the city of New York," approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1846, be, and the same is hereby amended as follows:

§ 1. The city is hereby divided into four districts, as follows:

The First District shall comprise the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Wards.

The Second District shall comprise the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth Wards.

The Third District shall comprise the Seventh, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth and Fourteenth Wards.

The Fourth District shall comprise the Twelfth, Seventeenth, and Eighteenth Wards.

§ 2. In each of said districts there shall be a Police Court and office. The business of the Police offices already established in the Halls of Justice, Centre street; at Jefferson market, in the Ninth Ward; at Essex market, in the Tenth Ward, shall continue to be conducted there, until otherwise directed by the Common Council; and the Police office for the Fourth District, newly created, shall be held at the Police Station-house in Twenty-ninth street, in the Eighteenth Ward.

§ 3. The Magistrates and Clerks for the aforesaid Police Courts or offices, are hereby assigned as follows:

Justices Timpson and Lothrop to the First District, (Halls of Justice,) in Centre street.

Justices Bleakley and McGrath to the Second District, Jefferson market.

Justice Osborne to the Third District, Essex market; Justice Mountfort to the Fourth District, in Twenty-ninth street, in the Eighteenth Ward.

The magistrates hereby assigned to the First District, shall, on alternate days, attend at the Third District Police Court, and the magistrates assigned to the Second District, shall, on alternate days, attend at the Fourth District Police Court, hereby established.

Clerks, Stuart and Welsh to the First District Police Court; Clerks

Murray and Davison to the Second District Police Court; Riblet to the Third District Court, and Lalor to the Fourth District Police Court.

§ 5. The compensation to be paid the officers aforesaid, shall be at the following rates:

To the Police Justices, one thousand five hundred dollars per annum each.

To the Clerks of Police, one thousand dollars per annum each.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1848.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, May 5, 1848.

Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1848.

The foregoing ordinance was amended, November 24th, 1848, by assigning Justice McGrath to the First District, Justice Mountfort to the Second District, and Justice Timpson to the Third District.

It was also further amended, December 8th, 1848, by assigning John Lalor as Clerk to the Third District.

The effect of these amendments is, that the Fourth District Police office, located by the ordinance, in Twenty-ninth street, has been abolished, and there remains but three Police Courts.

By resolution of Common Council, approved April 21st and 23d, 1852, Justices Osborne and Welsh, and Clerks Rockwell and Nesbitt were assigned at Halls of Justice; Justices Bogart and McGrath, and Clerks Murray and Davidson were assigned at Jefferson Market; Justices Stuart and Wood, and Clerks Lalor and Johnson were assigned at Essex market.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York, in Common Council convened, do ordain as follows:

Section sixty-nine of the ordinance organizing the Departments of the Municipal Government of the city of New York, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 69. There shall be appointed for each Ward, by the Mayor, on the recommendation of the Alderman and Assistant Alderman of each Ward, two persons, to be denominated Door-keepers, who shall attend to the station-house of their respective Wards, and shall keep the same in order, and act as door-keepers thereof, and perform such other duties as may be required of them by the Captains of Police of the Wards, respectively.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 4, 1850.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, March 18, 1850.

Approved by the Mayor, March 22, 1850.

AN ORDINANCE.

CONCERNING THE POLICE OF THE SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH, SIXTH, ELEVENTH, FOURTEENTH, FIFTEENTH, SIXTEENTH, SEVENTEENTH AND EIGHTEENTH WARDS.

Be it ordained, by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, in Common Council convened, as follows:

§ 1. There shall hereafter be appointed to the Second Ward, forty policemen; to the Fourth Ward, fifty policemen; to the Sixth Ward,

fifty-one policemen; to the Fourteenth Ward fifty policemen; to the Third Ward, forty-nine policemen; to the Fifteenth Ward, forty-six policemen; to the Sixteenth Ward, fifty-three policemen; to the Seventeenth Ward, fifty-three policemen; to the Eighteenth Ward, forty-six policemen, and to the Eleventh Ward, forty-eight policemen, including Captains, Assistant Captains and Sergeants.

§ 2. The foregoing section shall take effect at the time and in the manner following, that is to say, whenever, and as often as one or more vacancies shall occur, by the death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or by the expiration of the term of office of any of the policemen now appointed, and acting in and for the Sixth Ward, this ordinance shall take effect as to such offices so becoming vacant, and the appointment to fill the same shall be for the Third Ward, and until the number of policemen in the Third Ward shall be increased to forty-nine; and when, and as often thereafter as one or more vacancies shall occur, by the death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or by the expiration of the term of office of any of the policemen now acting in and for said Sixth Ward, this ordinance shall take effect as to such offices so becoming vacant, and the appointments to fill the same shall be for the Sixteenth Ward until the number of policemen for the Sixteenth Ward shall be increased to fifty-three; and when and as often thereafter as one or more vacancies shall occur, by the death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or by the expiration of the term of office of any of the policemen now acting in and for the said Sixth Ward, the appointment to fill the same shall be for the Fifteenth Ward, until the number of the policemen in the Sixth Ward shall be reduced to fifty one; and thereafter the first section of this ordinance shall be and continue in full force and effect as to the said Sixth Ward and the Third Ward; and when and as often as any one or more vacancies shall occur, by the death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or by the expiration of the term of office of any of the policemen now acting in and for the Fourteenth Ward, this ordinance shall take effect as to such offices so becoming vacant, and the appointment to fill the same shall be for the Fifteenth Ward, until the number of the policemen in the Fourteenth Ward shall be reduced to fifty. And thereafter the first section of this ordinance shall be, and continue in full force and effect, as to the said Fourteenth and Fifteenth Wards, and when and as often as one or more vacancies shall occur, by the death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or by the expiration of the term of office of any of the policemen now acting in and for the Fourth Ward, this ordinance shall take effect as to such offices so becoming vacant, and the appointment to fill the same shall be for the Seventeenth Ward, until the number of the policemen in the Seventeenth Ward shall be increased to fifty-three. And thereafter the first section of this ordinance shall be and continue in full force and effect as to the said Seventeenth Ward; and when and as often thereafter as one or more vacancies shall occur, by the death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or by the expiration of the term of office of any of the policemen now acting in and

for the said Fourth Ward, the appointment to fill the same, shall be for the Eleventh Ward, until the number of policemen in the Fourth Ward shall be reduced to fifty-five; and thereafter the first section of this ordinance shall be and continue in full force and effect as to the said Fourth and Eleventh Wards; and when and so often as one or more vacancies shall occur, by death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or by the expiration of the term of office of any of the policemen now acting in and for said Second Ward, this ordinance shall take effect as to such offices so becoming vacant; and the appointment to fill the same, shall be for the Eighteenth Ward, until the number of policemen in the Second Ward shall be reduced to forty. And thereafter the first section of this ordinance shall be and continue in full force and effect as to said Second and Eighth Wards, provided, however, no policeman, now duly appointed and acting according to law, shall be deprived of his office, until the same shall become vacant according to law.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 3, 1851.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, February 5, 1851.

Approved by the Mayor, February 13, 1851.

AN ORDINANCE.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, in Common Council convened, do ordain as follows:

§ 1. The salary of Captains of Police, is hereby fixed at eight hundred dollars per annum.

§ 2. The salary of the Assistant Captains of Police, is hereby fixed at the sum of seven hundred dollars per annum.

§ 3. The compensation of Sergeants of Police and Policemen, performing duty in their respective wards, shall be for each and every day's service, at the rate of six hundred dollars per annum.

§ 4. The salary of Policemen, detailed by the Mayor or Chief of Police, for the performance of any special duty, is hereby fixed at the sum of five hundred dollars per annum.

§ 5. This ordinance shall take effect on the first day of September next.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 11, 1851.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, August 13, 1851.

Approved by the Mayor, August 18, 1851.

AN ORDINANCE

TO ORGANIZE THE POLICE OF THE NINETEENTH WARD.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York, in Common Council convened:

That it shall be lawful for the Alderman and Assistant Alderman of the Nineteenth Ward to nominate to the Mayor thirty-seven policemen for

the said ward, who shall hold their offices for the term now prescribed by law, and shall form part of the police force of said city, and be subject to the like rules and regulations, and invested with the same power and authority.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 16, 1850.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, December 31, 1850.

Approved by the Mayor, January 4, 1851.

Resolved, That hereafter there shall be appointed for the Twelfth and Nineteenth Wards, two doormen for each of the Station-houses in the said wards; such appointments to be made in the manner now provided by law, and the compensation to be the same as is allowed to the doormen of the several Station-houses of the other wards, and that all ordinances, or parts of ordinances, or resolutions conflicting herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, January 20, 1851.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 22, 1851.

Approved by the Mayor, January 23, 1851.

AN ORDINANCE

TO ORGANIZE THE POLICE DISTRICT OF THE TWENTIETH WARD.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York, in Common Council convened, as follows:

That it shall be lawful for the Alderman and Assistant Alderman of the Twentieth Ward to nominate to the Mayor fifty-three policemen, in addition to the Captain and First and Second Assistant Captains for the said ward, and who shall hold their offices for the terms now prescribed by law, and shall form part of the police force of said city, and be subject to the like rules and regulations, and invested with the same power and authority.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1852.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, January 14, 1852.

Approved by the Mayor, January 15, 1852.

Resolved, That there be, and are hereby, appointed to the Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-first and Twenty-second Wards, each forty-eight policemen, including one Captain and two Lieutenants, to constitute the police force of said wards.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, December 5, 1853.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 15, 1853.

Approved by the Mayor, December 16, 1853.

Resolved, That the salaries of the Captains of Police be, and the same are hereby fixed at the sum of one thousand dollars per annum.

Resolved, That the salaries of Lieutenants of Police be, and the same are hereby fixed at the sum of eight hundred dollars per annum.

Resolved, That the salaries of the Sergeants and Policemen be, and the same are hereby fixed at the sum of seven hundred dollars per annum.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, October 21, 1853.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 21, 1853.

Board of Aldermen, October 26, 1853, received from his Honor the Mayor, with his objections thereto.

Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1853, taken up, reconsidered and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor thereto, two thirds of all the members elected voting therefor.

Board of Assistants, November 16, 1853, taken up, reconsidered and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor thereto, two thirds of all the members elected voting therefor; therefore, under the provisions of the amended charter, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the salaries of the doormen at the various Station-houses in the city be increased to six hundred dollars per annum, to take effect from the first of January next

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 23, 1853.

Adopted by the Board of Assistants, December 23, 1853.

Approved by the Mayor, December 29, 1853.

Resolved, That there be, and hereby are, apportioned to the Second and Sixth Wards, each, five additional policemen, in addition to the present police force of said wards.

Adopted by the Board of Councilmen, August 11, 1854.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 20, 1854.

Approved by the Mayor, November 21, 1854.

Resolved, That there be, and are hereby apportioned to the Ninth Ward, three additional policemen.

Adopted by the Board of Councilmen, October 9, 1854.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 27, 1854.

Approved by the Mayor, November 29, 1854.

POLICE COURTS

OF

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

FIRST DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Halls of Justice, Centre Street.

JUSTICES.

Barnabas W. Osborne.....110 Orchard street.
James H. Welsh.....293 Pearl street.
Michael Connolly.....133 West 49th street

CLERKS.

James Nesbitt.....27 Frankfort street.
Ed. M. Skidmore.....259 Madison street.
Oscar Bogart, *Scrivener*.....28 Norfolk street.

POLICEMEN DETAILED FOR DUTY AT FIRST DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

SQUAD V.

Pat. Gleason, *Sergeant.*
Wm. Dougherty,
Thos. Eagan,
John J. Donohue,
Phil. Farley,
John Stacom,
James M. Heffin,
Saml. Felleman,
John Brown.

SECOND DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Jefferson Market, Sixth Avenue.

JUSTICES.

Wm. S. Davison.....169 West 20th street.
Jas. M. Flandreau.....493 Third avenue

CLERKS.

James M. Murray.....158 Wooster street.
John Quackenbush.....Ninth avenue.
Jas. J. Murray, *Scrivener*.....

POLICEMEN DETAILED FOR DUTY AT SECOND DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

SQUAD G.

Rich. Banfield, *Sergeant.*
L. D. Leighton,
Wm. H. Mingay,
Michael Leamy,
Wm. H. Mount,
John Garrison,
Wm. Jamison,
John Donnelly,
John McGinn.

THIRD DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Essex Market, Essex Court.

JUSTICES.

Wm. L. Wood.....499 Madison street.
Matthew T. Brennan.....94 White street.

CLERKS.

John Lalor.....89 East 22d street.
Wm. Rockwell.....156 East 50th street.

POLICEMEN DETAILED FOR DUTY AT THIRD DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

SQUAD S.

D. C. Mealio, *Sergeant.*
John H. Layman,
A. Brookheim,
Patrick McMahon,
John P. Mitchell,
B. Cavanagh,
Patrick McVey.

FOURTH DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Eighty-sixth Street, Yorkville.

JUSTICE.

J. Sherman Brownell.....19 Grove street.

CLERK.

James M Byrne.....671 Eighth avenue.

POLICEMEN DETAILED FOR DUTY AT THE FOURTH DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

SQUAD Y.

Thos. Betty, *Sergeant.*
Wm. Hetchman,
Robt. Thompson,
J. O'Niel,
Thos. Fitzsimmons.

NAMES

OF THE

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS

OF

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

OF THE

CITY OF NEW YORK.

LOCATION OF THE STATION-HOUSES, ETC.

MARCH 1, 1857.

Office of Chief of Police, No. 1, Basement of the City Hall, Park.

GEORGE W. MATSELL, *Chief of Police*.....30 Stanton street.
Wm. Mackeller, *Clerk to* " Harlem.
Wm. Robertson, Jr., *Sergeant*
Phil. Hannagan,
J. W. Herbst,
E. L. Polhamus,
Michael Doran, } *Scriveners.*
R. J. Brown, *Orderly Sergeant and Inspector of Pawnbrokers.*
R. W. Bowyer, " " " *Second-hand Dealers.*
Ely De Voe, " " " *Hacks.*
W. H. Lefferts, " " " *Junk Shops.*
Chas. H. Winans, *Sergeant Major.*
Daniel Murphy, *Drill Sergeant.*
H. Masterson, *Inspector of Carts.*
S. H. Munn, " *Stages.*
J. Keefe, *Aid.*
Thos. Veldran, "
Thos. Samson, "
Chas. L. Chapin, *Sergeant, Telegraph.*
Jas. Crowley, " "
A. McManus, *Post Office.*
S. Hasbrouck, *Surgeon General.*
J. K. Hardenbrook, *Assistant.*
P. W. McDonnell,
E. H. Kimbark,
A. S. Jones,
H. Sheppard,
N. C. Husted, } *Surgeons.*
Alex. Robb, *Governors of Alms-house.*
F. C. Barange, *at Office of Chief of Police.*

COURT OF SESSIONS.

John W. Hull, *Sergeant*.
J. C. Pell.
Harrison Redfield.
George Wines.
Abraham Relay.
Morris Kane.
George Dougherty.
John Quinn.
J. J. McManus.
J. Tracy.
Patrick Murphy.

RESERVE CORPS.

SQUAD A.

Leroy T. Clark, *Sergeant*.
James Wade.
R. T. Allason.

SQUAD B.

R. Van Gieson, *Sergeant*.
John Sharkey.
M. D. Underhill.
G. C. Crolius.

SQUAD C.

Thomas Moroney, *Sergeant*.
John Jones.
Thomas Pierson.
John Dugan.
George F. Stringer.

SQUAD D.

Redmond Roche, *Sergeant*.
James Bloomer.
Peter O'Riley.
Michael Eiseman.
Samuel Rothschild.

SQUAD E.

Swain Lindsley, *Sergeant*.
Otho Oliver.
James Sadler.
Patrick Toole.
Patrick Holden.
Isaac Schneittacher.

SQUAD G.

Richard Banfield, *Sergeant*.
L. D. Leighton.
William H. Mingay.
Michael Leamy.
William H. Mount.
John Garrison.
William Jamison.
John Donnelly.
John McGuire.

SQUAD I.

J. Hoffman, *Sergeant*.
Thomas Houston.
Phillip Farley.
Joseph G. Doxey.
Abram Conner.
Napoleon Woolridge.
Andrew Nesbitt.

SQUAD K.

C. V. Hogan, *Sergeant*.
J. C. Kinner.
J. H. Smith.

SQUAD L.

Jos. Webster, *Sergeant*.
Terrence Reilly.
John McKenny.
James Carroll.
James Marshall.
Benj. Hickok.

SQUAD M.

Wm. H. Lefferts, *Sergeant*.
Michael O'Brien.
Samuel Brown.
H. C. Hope.
A. B. Mooney.
John L. Van Wart.
Patrick McGrath.
Phillip Farley.

SQUAD N.

James McPherson, *Sergeant*.
Edmund Burke.
Michael Barry.
Henry Brice.
Neil Kelly.
C. B. Titus.
M. L. Binswanger.
John Oakford.
Thomas Bradburn.

SQUAD O.

William McKinney, *Sergeant.*
William Clark.
William Sniffen.
John Witts.
John Grogan.
William M. Dutcher.

SQUAD P.

Stephen Johns, *Sergeant.*
George Perkins.
Abram Post.
Patrick Gallagher.
Patrick Barry.

SQUAD S.

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Philip Farley.
John Staeom.
James M. Heffin.
Samuel Felleman.
John Brown.

SQUAD W.

John McCusker, *Sergeant.*
Theodore Rynders.
Patrick Dale.
James A. Lucas.
Hugh Murray.
Andrew Mulligan

SQUAD X.

Theo. Frude, *Sergeant.*
Henry Newman.
David Kelly.
Thomas Wallace.
John Miller.

SQUAD Y.

Thomas Betty, *Sergeant.*
Robert Thompson.
William Hetchman.
J. O'Neil.
Thomas Fitzsimmons.

DAY STATIONS OF POLICEMEN.

FIRST WARD.

No. 1, Merchants' Exchange, in Wall street; 2, Post-office, in Nassau street; 3, South ferry, foot of Whitehall street.

SECOND WARD.

No. 1, Broadway, corner of Ann street; 2, Fulton ferry.

THIRD WARD

No. 1, Barclay street ferry; 2, Cortlandt street; 3, Washington market; 4, Hudson River Railroad Depot; 5, Broadway, corner Cortlandt street; 6, West street.

FOURTH WARD.

No. 1, Peck slip ferry; 2, Catharine ferry.

FIFTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Broadway and Canal street; 2, corner of Hoboken and West streets.

SIXTH WARD.

No. 1, Park; 2, corner of Bowery and Bayard street; 3, at the Five Points, (2 policemen;) 4, on the east side of Broadway, from Park to Canal street.

SEVENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner East Broadway and Catharine street; 2, corner of Jackson and Monroe streets.

EIGHTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of West and Spring streets; 2, corner of Laurens and Grand streets; 3, corner of Charlton and Varick streets; 4, corner of Houston street and Broadway.

NINTH WARD.

No. 1, Hoboken ferry, foot of Christopher street; 2, foot of Thirteenth street.

TENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Grand street and Bowery; 2, corner of Forsyth and Division streets.

ELEVENTH WARD.

No. 1, Dry Dock, at the head of Avenue D; 2, at the ferry, foot of Houston street; 3, at the corner of Columbia and Houston streets.

TWELFTH WARD.—No day stations.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Grand and Clinton streets; 2, corner of Grand and East streets.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Bowery and Broome street; 2, corner of Walker and Mulberry streets.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, University place, east side, between Tenth and Eleventh streets; 2, Washington Parade Ground.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Seventeenth street and Tenth avenue; 2, corner of Twenty-fourth street and Seventh avenue.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, Avenue A and First street; 2, Third avenue and Tenth street.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

No. 1, Union park; 2, Stuyvesant square; 3, Madison square.

NINETEENTH WARD.

No. 1, Sixty-first street and Third avenue; 2, Forty-second street and Third avenue; 3, Forty-third street and Tenth avenue; 4, Bloomingdale, in Broadway.

TWENTIETH WARD.

No. 1, corner of Thirty-second street and Sixth avenue; 2, corner of Thirtieth street and Seventh avenue; 3, corner of Twenty-ninth street and Eighth avenue; 4, corner of Twenty-seventh street and Tenth avenue; 5, corner of Thirty-eighth street and Ninth avenue; 6, corner of Thirty-sixth street and Eighth avenue; 7, corner of Thirty-fifth street and Seventh avenue; 8, corner of Thirty first street and Eleventh avenue; 9, corner of Thirty-ninth street and Broadway; 10, corner of Thirty-ninth street and Eleventh avenue; 11, corner of Thirtieth street and Eleventh avenue.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.—No day stations.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.—No day stations.

POLICE AND STATION-HOUSES.

FIRST PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, Franklin Market, Old Slip.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Michael Halpin, *Captain*	Jan. 7, 1853.	Jan. 7, 1857.
Walter Walsh	Nov. 9, 1852.	Nov. 9, 1856.
Thomas Breen	" 9, "	" 9, "
Stickler Morrison	" 24, "	" 24, "
John Cavan	Mar. 12, 1853.	Mar. 12, 1857.
Maurice Stack	" 29, "	" 29, "
Cornelius Dwyer	April 7, "	April 7, "

Appointed under the new law, during good behavior.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
John Dalton, *First Lieutenant*	April 17, 1856.
William Burns, *Second Lieutenant*	" 17, "
John Fitzgerald	May 11, 1853.
Michael Gilfeather	" 19, "
Jeremiah Conley	June 6, "
Patrick Donoghue	" 22, "
James Connor	July 25, "
Hugh Crogan	" 25, "
Godfrey Dorn, *Doorman*	Sept. 30, "
Michael Sheehan	" 30, "
Michael Hogan	Oct. 11, "
John Eagan	Nov. 4, "
Philip Markey	" 30, "
James Sullivan	" 30, "
William H. Smith	Jan. 3, 1854.
Robert F. Allason	Feb. 28, "
Timothy Ryan	Mar. 2, "
Jacob Aherns	" 7, "
Jacob Kliederer	April 26, "
William Caulfield	May 9, "
William Guerker	Sept. 13, "
John Hays	" 13, "
Charles T. Williams	" 13, "
Redmond Roche	Dec. 1, "
Valentine Hinton	" 4, "
Joshua McCabe	" 4, "
Lawrence Kiely	" 4, "
Mathew Lunny	" 26, "
William Hackett, *Doorman*	" 26, "
William Watson	" 29, "
Valentine Neiheisel	Jan. 1, 1855.
Andrew Handley	April 6, "
Robert Hill	" 14, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Michael Barry	April 14, 1855.
John Murphy	May 30, "
James N. Croft	" 30, "
Thomas Cherry	" 30, "
Patrick Scollen, *Doorman*	" 31, "
Michael McCarthy	June 4, "
Thomas Roach	" 30, "
William Kuntz	Dec. 31, "
Peter Brady	" 31, "
Richard Murphy	Jan. 2, 1856.
James Marshall	" 3, "
Isaac E. Woolley	April 17, "
John Cowan	" 17, "
Jeremiah Healy	July 17, "
Thomas Burns	" 22, "
Daniel Curran	" 22, "
Thomas Lawler	Sept. 26, "
James Donovan	Jan. 8, 1857.
Michael Higgins	" 8, "
Frederick Siger	" 8, "
Ed. Kennedy	" 8, "
Ed. Murphy	" 8, "
Timothy Collins	" 13, "

SECOND PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, No. 49 Leekman Street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
James Finney, *First Lieutenant*	Jan. 28, 1853.	Jan. 28, 1857.
Levi De Long	Aug. 13, 1852.	Aug. 13, 1856.
John Kennedy, *Doorman*	Nov. 11, "	Nov. 11, "
Edward Carrigan	Feb. 16, 1853.	Feb. 16, 1857.
John Keough	Mar. 19, "	Mar. 19, "
John Birmingham	April 15, "	April 15, "

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
James Leonard, *Captain*	April 26, 1854.
Arthur Keating, *Second Lieutenant*	June 21, 1855.
John Hanratty	May 19, 1853.
George T. Tracy	June 6, "
Richard Orpheus	" 22, "
John Holland	Sept. 30, "
Samuel Phillips	" 30, "
Richard Kieley	" 30, "
William Bingham	Nov. 4, "
William Kline	Jan. 3, 1854.
James Gillen	" 9, "
Elijah Curtis	Feb. 28, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Thaddeus L. Lewis	April 26, 1854.
John Devin	" 26, "
Jacob L. Codett	July 11, "
Michael Carmody	" 11, "
Joseph H. Rice	Sept. 13, "
Nathaniel Cavanagh	" 13, "
George Jackson	" 13, "
John Wintringham	" 13, "
John Williams	" 13, "
Benjamin T. Timpson	Dec. 1, "
Robert J. Finley	" 4, "
Henry O'Brien	" 4, "
Patrick McGrath	" 26, "
Thomas A. Harmons	" 26, "
Matthew Bradley	" 26, "
William H. Simmonds	April 6, 1855.
James W. Hefflin	" 6, "
Thomas Maroney	May 31, "
Robert Walsh	June 1, "
Patrick Shea, *Doorman*	" 21, "
Samuel Myers	" 21, "
A. C. Williams	Dec. 13, "
John Donnelley	" 14, "
Michael Waters	" 15, "
James Young	Jan. 8, 1857.
William Nammack	" 8, "
John J. Maloney	" 9, "
Patrick McMahon	" 9, "

THIRD PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, No. 79 Warren Street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Neil Kelly	Sept. 17, 1851.	Sept. 17, 1855.
George W. Haviland	Dec. 27, 1852.	Dec. 27, 1856.
William C. Anderson	Feb. 19, 1853.	Feb. 19, 1857.

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
James A. Hopkins, *Captain*	June 1, 1854.
John W. Cropsey, *First Lieutenant*	Feb. 29, 1856.
John W. Bennet, *Second Lieutenant*	May 1, "
John Clark	June 16, 1853.
John Dunbar	Sept. 30, "
Andrew J. Ayres	Oct. 11, "
George Geiren	Jan. 3, 1854.
James L. Metcalf	April 26, "
William Chamberlin	May 3, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Henry Girand	May 31, 1854.
Daniel Fordham, *Doorman*	June 1, "
Thomas H. Sease	July 11, "
Charles Wood	" 11, "
Charles E. Van Duser	" 11, "
Richard M. Powell	" 11, "
Samuel W. Mackey	Sept. 13, "
John Mead	" 13, "
William P. Hervey	" 13, "
Robert H. Campbell	Dec. 30, "
John Beam	" 30, "
Edward Kealy	Feb. 15, 1855.
William Bowker	Mar. 1, "
Nicholas Martin, *Doorman*	April 6, "
Henry Spence	" 6, "
Milton Swayze	" 6, "
Jesse C. Kinner	" 9, "
Daniel Murphy	" 14, "
James Farrington	May 30, "
Michael Doran	June 1, "
Abraham Van Winkle	" 21, "
Pearsall Rodermond	" 21, "
John Hamblin	" 30, "
William Osborn	July 18, "
Edward Burke	Nov. 30, "
James G. Folwell	" 30, "
Augustus L. Brainard	Dec. 31, "
Henry Dwyer	" 31, "
John W. Elder	Jan. 3, 1856.
J. P. Martin	Feb. 9, "
P. T. Hannivan	Mar. 1, "
Henry M. Taylor	" 4, "
E. P. Malloy	" 5, "
C. Bendick	Aug. 19, "
Stephen Callaghan	" 26, "

FOURTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, No. 9 Oak Street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Richard Hanrahan	Feb. 28, 1853.	Feb. 28, 1857.

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
J. Murray Ditchett, *Captain*	May 10, 1854.
James Langdon, *First Lieutenant*	Dec. 1, 1853.
William S. Williston, *Second Lieutenant*	April 27, 1854.
James O. Deay	May 18, 1853.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Timothy McCarty	May 18, 1853.
Peter Bundes	June 6, "
John Brown	July 25, "
Patrick J. Prendegrast	Sept. 13, "
Thomas J. Folger	" 13, "
Thomas Fitzgerald	" 13, "
David Bartley	" 13, "
Dennis McGuire	" 13, "
Edmund Nugent	Nov. 30, "
James McDonnell	" 30, "
John Walsh	Dec. 1, "
Henry Seawood, *Doorman*	" 21, "
Stephen Oran, "	" 21, "
Richard B. Holland	Jan. 3, 1854.
John A. Demming	Feb. 28, "
Charles J. Van Cleef	" 28, "
Hugh Thompson	April 26, "
John P. Murphy	" 26, "
Alexander Smith	" 27, "
Robert J. Brown	June 2, "
Michael Wogan	July 11, "
Arthur McManus	Sept. 12, "
Samuel Felleman	" 13, "
George F. Stringer	" 13, "
Thomas Casey	Dec. 4, "
Patrick Holden	" 4, "
Thomas C. Doyle	" 4, "
George Dougherty	" 9, "
Michael Sullivan	" 26, "
James Durney	" 27, "
William Street	" 28, "
Thomas Sullivan	April 6, "
Maurice Kane	May 31, 1855.
William Furlong	" 31, "
James Barr	" 31, "
John Coakley	July 18, "
Thomas Connelly	Dec. 14, "
Cornelius Sullivan	" 14, "
Matthew McGuire	" 31, "
Patrick Murphy	" 31, "
Stephen Lawrence	Feb. 6, 1856.
Peter Leary	" 8, "
James White	April 18, "
Patrick Connor	" 18, "
John Witts	" 18, "
William Coakley	" 18, "
Thomas Sullivan	" 18, "
Neil Duffy	Sept. 26, "
Daniel Sheehan	" 26, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Francis Carraher	Sept. 26, 1856.
John McElwell	Jan. 13, 1857.
Timothy Hurley	" 13, "
Thomas Cleary	" 13, "

FIFTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, No. 49 Leonard Street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
William H. Martin, *First Lieutenant*	Feb. 24, 1852.	Feb. 24, 1856.
Jeremiah G. Kemp	April 5, "	April 5, "
Manuel A. White	Nov. 3, "	Nov. 3, "
Thomas Bigley	Dec. 11, "	Dec. 11, "
Charles Ford	" 20, "	" 20, "
John T. Smith	Jan. 24, 1853.	Jan. 24, 1857.
Lemuel S. Slater	April 2, "	April 2, "
John J. Laughlin	" 15, "	" 15, "

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Daniel Carpenter, *Captain*	May 31, 1854.
Daniel D. Horrigan, *2d Lieutenant*	Aug 20, 1856.
John H. Dazet	" 18, 1853.
Stephen B. Smith	June 16, "
William S. Kizer	" 16, "
William S. Allen	July 5, "
Henry Green	" 2?, "
Benjamin E. Hickock	Sept. 30, "
Edward Weylan	Nov. 4, "
Gabriel Arguier	" 30, "
Daniel Braniff	Dec. 21, "
William Wescott	Jan. 3, 1854.
Thomas H. Bulmer	Feb. 28, "
Joseph A. Dazet	Mar. 1, "
William H. Martin	April 21, "
Howell Clark	" 26, "
David S. Files	" 26, "
John Givin	May 9, "
Peter Bodine	" 31, "
William Van Tassal	July 11, "
Henry S. Cooke	" 17, "
John McConnell	Sept. 13, "
Henry Evans	" 13, "
Stephen W. Maynard	" 13, "
Abraham V. Davis	" 13, "
Wm. Pettit	" 13, "
John G. Goodell	" 13, "
John McCord	" 13, "
Andrew Nesbitt	" 13, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
John Read	Sept. 13, 1854.
Henry C. King	" 13, "
Wm. H. Isaacs	" 13, "
Geo. C. Crolius	" 13, "
Peter A. Burley	Dec. 1, "
Dennis H. Wade	" 7, "
Joseph Keefe	" 26, "
Thomas Bell	" 26, "
Moses Hunt	" 29, "
Joseph T. Webster	Mar. 6, 1855.
Samuel Truex	April 6, "
Theodore U. Story	" 6, "
Jacob Webb	Dec. 14, "
Thomas Moneypenny	Mar. 5, 1856.
William H. Munday, *Doorman*	" 5, "
Thomas D. Conover	Aug. 25, "
Rowland Hill, *Doorman*	" 25, "
Thomas J. Baker	" 21, "
William L. Herbert	Sept. 26, "
James Greer	Jan. 16, 1857.

SIXTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, Franklin Street, near Baxter.

Appointed during good behavior.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Joseph Dowling, *Captain*	Dec, 13, 1854.
Alonzo Bingham, *1st Lieutenant*	Sept. 30, 1853.
Peter L. Feirty, *2d Lieutenant*	July 24, 1855.
Napoleon Woolridge	May 11, 1853.
John J. McManus	" 11, "
Thomas N. Martin	" 11, "
John Jourdan	" 11, "
Charles Kenney	July 25, "
Charles W. Gordon	Sept. 13, "
Dominick Crassous	" 13, "
Thomas W. Quinn	" 14, "
Robert Mahon	" 30, "
John Barrett	Oct. 11, "
James Lanigan	Nov. 4, "
Michael Fitzgerald	Jan. 3, 1854.
Hugh McDermott	April 26, "
Daniel McHugh	July 11, "
James Martin	" 11, "
John T. Kaveny	" 27, "
James Tucker	Sept. 13, "
Patrick Curley	" 13, "



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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
John Lord	Sept. 13, 1854.
Ennis Geraghty	" 13, "
Edward Gallagher	" 13, "
Thomas Quinn	" 13, "
John F. Donoho	" 13, "
James A. Elder	" 13, "
Robert Connor	" 13, "
John S. Riker	" 14, "
Patrick Gleason	Dec. 1, "
John Stacom	" 1, "
John F. Dickson	" 1, "
Patrick Gilmartin	" 2, "
John Gaughan	" 4, "
Roger Judge	" 4, "
William H. Mount	" 20, "
Thomas H. Doran	" 26, "
Jacob Wilsey	" 26, "
William H. McGrath	" 26, "
Peter Riley, *Doorman*	" 26, "
John Bradley	" 29, "
Francis Owens	Jan. 25, 1855.
Thomas Meehan	" 27, "
Robert W. Bowyer	April 6, "
James McDonough	Dec, 31, "
Peter Hunt	" 31, "
John J. Quinn	" 31, "
Dennis McCauley	Feb. 9, 1856.
James Hogan, *Doorman*	Mar. 17, "
John McCluskey	April 18, "
P. H. O'Neil	" 18, "
Dennis O'Connor	Aug. 14, "
Peter Divens	" 14, "
E. O. Baker	Sept. 30, "
Ed. Sherlock	Jan, 8, 1857.
Patrick Logan	" 8, "
Hugh Crystal	" 8, "
Peter Carr	" 12, "
Michael Costello	" 13, "
Luke Lee	" 13, "

SEVENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, Gouverneur Slip.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
James Cushing	Mar. 30, 1853.	Mar. 30, 1857.

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Edward Letts, *Captain*	May 30, 1855.
John J. Blair, *First Lieutenant*	" 30, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Augustus Oliver, *Second Lieutenant*	May 30, 1855.
Horatio B. Park	June 1, 1853.
John Scammell	July 5, "
James McGuire	" 25, "
John W. Austin	Sept 13, "
Christopher Fahrer	" 13, "
Dennis Murphy	Nov. 4, "
William Stinson	" 4, "
Alexander Rothrock	" 30, "
John Ahern	Dec. 21, "
James Darrow	Feb. 28, 1854.
Samuel W. Simpson	April 27, "
John N. Terwilliger	" 27, "
Peter Dunn	" 27, "
Henry R. Smith	July 11, "
William Loughran	" 11, "
Jeremiah J. Sullivan	Sept. 13, "
Patrick Magner	" 13, "
James K. Sammis	" 13, "
George Burras	" 13, "
William Clark	" 13, "
Levi W. Pierce	" 13, "
James Leary	Dec. 1, "
William Montross	" 1, "
John Callery	" 4, "
Michael Wilkinson	" 20, "
William Woodhull	" 27, "
Leroy T. Clark	May 30, 1855.
William H. Johnson	" 30, "
Dominick Harn	" 30, "
John Dufion	" 30, "
James Fisher	" 30, "
Timothy Desmond	" 30, "
Nicholas O'Connell	" 30, "
John T. Flynn	" 30, "
John Vanbrakle	" 30, "
Edward B. Holly	June 21, "
Richard Gery	" 21, "
Henry King	July 18, "
John B. Town	" 18, "
James L. Saffern, *Doorman*	" 18, "
Frederick Grassell	" 18, "
John I. Brower	Nov. 30, "
John Quinlan	" 30, "
John J. Nicolai	Dec. 14, "
Thomas Lynch	" 15, "
Cornelius E. Price	Feb. 8, 1856.
John Calley	Mar. 5, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Bernard Mulholland	April 17, 1856.
Thomas Magner	" 17, "
Thiel Bassford	" 17, "
John F. Buckley	" 17, "
William Dougherty	July 16, "
Andrew J. Thompson	" 22, "
John A. Flynn	" 22, "
Patrick Bager	" 22, "
Jeremiah Donoven, *Doorman*	" 23, "
Charles Heath	Aug. 25, "
James Carrigan	" 25, "
E. A. Kutz, Jr	Sept. 26, "
L. A. Barker	" 26, "
Dennis Donovan	" 29, "

EIGHTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, corner of Wooster and Prince Streets.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
George Rauch	Jan 14, 1853.	Jan. 14, 1857.
John W. Curtis	" 29, "	" 29, "
John F. O'Neil	April 12, "	April 12, "

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Charles S. Turnbull, *Captain*	Sept. 12, 1853.
Samuel Kohler, *First Lieutenant*	April 14, 1854.
Furman B. Stage, *Second Lieutenant*	Dec. 13, "
Hugh Taylin	June 20, 1853.
John C. Andre	July 5, "
Isaac L. Lent	" 28, "
Richard Burke	Nov. 30, "
Hezekiah P. Glenney	Feb. 28, "
Isaac Johnson	April 26, 1853.
Nathaniel W. Stilwell	May 31, "
W. E. Carpenter	July 11, "
T. J. Veldran	" 12, "
James M. Miller	Sept. 13, "
L. D. Leighton	" 13, "
Theodore Winchell	" 13, "
Henry F. Jones	" 13, "
George Perkins	" 13, "
John McKinnon	Dec. 1, 1854.
William F. Olmstead	" 1, "
Thomas McDougall	" 1, "
William H. Mingay	" 1, "
William West	" 4, "
John J. Mount	" 4, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Joseph Rogers	Dec. 26, 1854.
James Chasmer	" 26, "
Ezra Beach	" 29, "
John Craft, *Doorman*	April 6, 1855.
Isaac Kayler	" 6, "
Joseph Wark	" 6, "
Joseph Thebo	" 6, "
Theodore Rynders	" 6, "
Thomas Brennan	" 6, "
John S. Van Buren	" 6, "
James Cummings, *Doorman*	" 6, "
Marcus Aufses	" 6, "
John Reynolds	" 19, "
Alexander C. Percy	" 25, "
James Z. Bogart	June 21, "
Stephen Hasbrouck	July 18, "
E. Hagan	Dec. 13, "
Thomas Colahan	" 14, "
John L. Henry	" 14, "
Barnard Cavanah	" 15, "
William Roberts	" 15, "
Abram Webb	Feb. 9, 1856.
Howard A. Baldwin	" 9, "
Bernard Neis	Mar. 31, "
Daniel Luin	April 17, "
James Sandford	" 17, "
John H. Heazelden	" 18, "
John Quinn	" 30, "
Edward Dalton	Aug. 19, "
Michael Riley	Sept. 26, "
B. M. Davis	Jan. 8, 1857.
Francis C. Berange	" 9, "

NINTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, No. 94 Charles street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Abraham Ackerman, *Captain*	April 12, 1853.	April 12, 1857.
Patrick Kelly	July 27, 1852.	July 27, 1856.
Harrison Redfield	Feb. 16, 1853.	Feb. 16, 1857.

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Jacob L. Sebring, *First Lieutenant*	Dec. 19, 1853.
William Cargill, *Second Lieutenant*	" 19, "
John Sharkey	May 18, "
James C. Pell	June 16, "
Richard Van Giesen	July 5, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Alexander D. Smith	July 5, 1853.
Benjamin Garthwait	Sept. 30, "
James Weight	Oct. 1, "
Joseph Harding	Nov. 4, "
Carpenter Brown	" 4, "
Abraham Sharrott	" 4, "
Clark Knapp	Feb. 28, 1854.
John F. Standish	April 26, "
James B. Meade	May 31, "
William H. Lefferts	" 31, "
Chauncey Mason	" 31, "
Horatio Sanger	Sept. 13, "
Samuel Carpenter	" 13, "
Hiram H. Hammond	" 13, "
James P. Bennett	" 13, "
Ralph Blakelock	" 13, "
John Hanifen	Dec. 1, "
James Blauvelt	" 1, "
Stephen L. Cook	Nov. 29, "
William C. Lafberry	Dec. 1, "
Algernon Kniffen	" 4, "
W. J. Simms	" 26, "
James A. De Clark	" 26, "
Thomas B. Curry	" 26, "
Joshua H. Hyatt	" 26, "
Alexander Fraser	" 26, "
Stephen P. Hardenbrook	" 29, "
Ezekiel Maynard, *Doorman*	" 29, "
Charles H. Winans	Feb. 17, 1855.
John Oakford	April 7, "
John Sands, *Doorman*	" 7, "
John W. Herbest	" 13, "
William B. Paulscraft	" 17, "
Isaac Edsall	June 1, "
James A. McPherson	July 18, "
Samuel Addington	Nov. 30, "
Henry P. Wolf	" 30, "
James L. Tower	Feb. 9, 1856.
James Blauvelt	" 9, "
William H. Leroy	April 18, "
John L. Van Wart	July 16, "
James Leary	" 22, "
J. Henry Mead	" 22, "
James S. Downing	Sept. 26, "
Peter Morin	Sept. 30, "
Peter D. Demarest	Jan. 8, 1857.
Michael Coggins	" 8, "
Jethro Thomas	" 8, "

TENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, Essex Market, corner of Ludlow and Grand Streets.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Robert Crooker	April 30, 1852.	April 30, 1856.
Otho Oliver	Mar. 18, "	Mar. 18, "

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
George W. Norris, *Captain*	Sept. 12, 1854.
John Reed, *First Lieutenant*	Dec. 16, "
Thaddeus C. Davis, *Second Lieutenant*	April 7, "
Edward C. Hoyt	July 25, 1853.
Robert S. Brown	Nov. 30, "
Alonzo Howell	Jan. 16, 1854.
Augustus C. Weed, *Doorman*	Mar. 1, "
James A. Lucas	May 9, "
Abijah Pearsall	" 31, "
James Anderson	Sept. 13, "
Richard Latty	" 13, "
William Jaques	" 13, "
William C. Gover	" 13, "
Josiah McCord	" 13, "
John C Darby	Dec. 1, 1854.
William Wright	" 1, "
Samuel Brown	" 4, "
John T. Horton	" 4, "
Henry Miner	" 4, "
Samuel Rothschild	" 4, "
Richard King	" 26, "
John F. Gantz	" 26, "
George B. Payne	" 26, "
James Fitzmaurice	" 26, "
Thomas Slowey	Feb. 6, 1855.
Philip Riley	" 17, "
Samuel Hyatt	April 7, "
Philip Freffenger	" 7, "
David Kelley	" 14, "
A. B. Simmons	May 3, "
Samuel T. Warts	" 3, "
Jackson Bumstead	June 1, "
Henry Harper	" 1, "
Peter Trainor	" 1, "
Patrick McMahon	" 4, "
John J. Smith	" 5, "
James McHenry	Dec. 14, "
Samuel Abrahall	" 14, "
George Reed, *Doorman*	" 31, "
John Laforge	" 31, "
Charles H. Howe	Jan. 2, 1856.
John H. Smith	July 16, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Philip Miles	July 21, 1856.
Benjamin B. Rosenbury	" 22, "
John McCann	" 25, "
Charles James	Sept. 26, "
Robert C. Campbell	" 26, "
John W. Worth	Oct. 4, "
James Wade	Jan. 9, 1857.

ELEVENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, Union Market, Houston Street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Benjamin Demiit	Feb. 12, 1853.	Feb. 12, 1857.
Isaac Schneittacher	Mar. 12, "	Mar 12, "
Albert Loomis	" 30, "	" 30, "

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Peter Squires, *Captain*	Oct. 7, 1853.
William D. Craft, *First Lieutenant*	Nov. 4, "
John Cameron, *Second Lieutenant*	Oct. 7, "
Theodore H. Abbott	June 1, "
Thomas Forbes	July 5, "
Austin H. Lake	Aug. 8, "
William Fargo	Sept. 30, "
Zenas Ivans	Nov. 4, "
John N. Cornell	" 30, "
Zephaniah C. Smith	Jan. 3, 1854.
John W. Wells	" 9, "
Gilbert Leggett	" 9, "
Oliver Laflin	Feb. 28, "
William Willis	Mar. 1, "
Peter Hennatty	July 11, "
S. M. Dyckman	Sept. 14, "
Frederick Castine	" 14, "
James Crowley	" 14, "
Alonzo Rozell	Dec. 1, "
Joseph Eustace	" 1, "
Isaac W. Nichols	" 4, "
Alexander Robb	" 4, "
Francis Karst	" 7, "
Wesley Lyon	" 7, "
Benjamin Brush	" 29, "
Thomas Sickels	" 29, "
William H. Sutton	Mar. 1, 1855.
William Boyer	May 31, "
James Whaley	" 31, "
Aaron Brookeim	" 31, "
E. H. Kimbark	" 31, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Daniel A. Bostwick	May 31, 1855.
Thomas R. Barton	June 1, "
William H. Orr	" 21, "
Henry Woltman	Nov. 30, "
Edward Church	" 30, "
Christian Bleil	Dec. 1, "
Augustus Van Arsdale	" 1, "
Patrick Barry	" 14, "
Amerson McDevett	Feb. 9, "
George Noyes	July 22, "
Lafayette Stoughton	Jan. 8, 1857.
Jerome Vermilye	" 8, "

TWELFTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, One hundred and twenty-sixth Street and Fourth Avenue.

Appointed during good behavior.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Galen T. Porter, *Captain*	May 31, 1854.
James Crowe, *First Lieutenant*	April 6, 1855.
William G. Graham, *Second Lieutenant*	Jan. 9, 1854.
John Roch	May 18, 1853.
Abraham G. Bertholf	June 6, "
Nathaniel Holmes	" 6, "
Simon Elliott	" 6, "
Watson H. Wagner	July 5, "
Matthew Coggey	" 5, "
John McQuaide	Sept. 30, "
William Reade	Nov. 30, "
Sylvester Osborne	" 30, "
John Fitzgerald	April 26, 1854.
Edward V. Graham	" 26, "
George C. Bingham	" 26, "
Isaac B. Dickerson	July 11, "
Christopher Pabor	Sept. 14, "
Matthew Crowe, *Doorman*	" 14, "
D. B. Harlow, *Doorman*	" 14, "
John McCusker	Nov. 29, "
Somerset Kinnaird	Dec. 1, 1854.
James McCusker	" 4, "
William White	" 4, "
Joseph Whiteman	" 26, "
James Hope	Jan. 1, 1855.
Henry Sickels	" 1, "
Samuel B Ryer	Mar. 1, "
Dennis Falvey	" 1, "
William C. Tone	June 21, "
Peter McCusker	July 19, "
Edward Roach	Jan. 15, 1857.

THIRTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, corner of Attorney and Delancey Streets.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
John Gerrah	Mar. 29, 1853.	Mar. 29, 1857.
Jonathan Osborn	April 14, "	April 29, "

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
John F. Russell, *Captain*	Sept. 14, 1854.
Joseph O'Keefe, *First Lieutenant*	May 31, 1855.
Ira A. Clark, *Second Lieutenant*	Sept. 13, 1854.
Richard H. Williams	June 1, 1853.
Dennis Nevin	" 22, "
Thomas W. Thorne	July 25, "
Terrence Reilly	" 28, "
John C. Abbott	Sept. 13, "
Richard H. Whitehead	" 30, "
Philip Zeiger	Nov. 4, "
William Van Wart	Jan. 5, 1854.
Henry Bedell	May 31, "
Abraham Post	July 11, "
David E. Carpenter	Sept. 14, "
Daniel Acker	" 14, "
James Parish	" 14, "
Benjamin Hallick	" 14, "
Malachi Kelly	" 14, "
John Struck	" 14, "
William McKinney	" 14, "
James Kirk	Dec. 1, "
John Birmingham	" 1, "
Morris L. Binswanger	" 4, "
Joseph Johnson	" 26, "
Patrick Flood	" 26, "
Samuel Elliott	" 26, "
Albert Van Tassel	" 26, "
Thomas Steers	" 26, "
John Nelson	" 26, "
Frederick Firehock, *Doorman*	April 7, 1855
Moses Brush, *Doorman*	" 7, "
Matthew H. O'Connor	" 14, "
David C. Mealio	May 3, "
Michael Eismenn	" 3, "
John P. Mitchell	" 31, "
Owen Daley	" 31, "
Abraham Drucker	June 2, "
James Carroll	July 18, "
Frederick Morgan	Nov. 30, "
Richard Cornwell	" 30, "
Edward E. Worden	Dec. 31, "
Bernard Engerman	April 17, 1856.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Richard Bierfield	April 17, 1856.
George W. Conklin	" 17, "
Daniel Foiles	July 14, "
Michael Smith	" 22, "
Ed. F. McMann	" 22, "

FOURTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, Spring, near Marion Street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Thomas Doyle	Jan. 19, 1853.	Jan. 19, 1857.
William Palmer	" 20, "	" 20, "
Thomas Dwyer	Feb. 1, "	Feb. 1, "
Isaac Steinberg	" 4, "	" 4, "

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
David Kissner, *Captain*	Jan. 9, 1854.
Philip O'Brien, *First Lieutenant*	June 1, 1855.
Abraham D. Brower, *Second Lieutenant*	" 8, 1853.
Francis Bradley	May 25, "
David S. Clark	June 7, "
Francis Macklin	" 5, "
John Flynn	Sept. 13, "
James Davin	" 13, "
Michael Timmons	" 13, "
Charles J. Adams	" 30, "
Stephen Boyle	" 30, "
John Gallagher	Nov. 4, "
Francis Kraft	" 30, "
Miles Sullivan	" 30, "
Patrick McVey	Jan. 4, 1854.
Bernard Conway	April 26, "
William Hayes	" 26, "
Philip Farley	" 26, "
Terrence O'Hare	" 27, "
Daniel Ebbets	May 16, "
Henry Meyer	" 31, "
Alexander Ross	Sept. 14, "
William F. Sniffen	" 14, "
William Gorman	" 14, "
Redmond F. McMannus	" 14, "
Thomas McGuire	" 14, "
James McCune	" 14, "
Richard Lee	" 14, "
James F. Hyde	Dec. 1, "
Michael Leamy	" 1, "
Arthur Doyle	" 4, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Thomas Wallace	April 7, 1855.
Philip Farley	" 7, "
John Hart, *Doorman*	" 7, "
James Dunn	Nov. 30, "
Patrick W. Cunningham	Dec. 31, "
Ely Dovoe	" 31, "
Alexander McElravy	Mar, 5, 1856.
Alexander McBride	July 18, "
Michael O'Brien	" 21, "
James Smith	" 22, "
Hugh Kearney	Sept. 26, "
John Gallagher	Jan. 8, 1857.
Louis Harrlich	" 8, "
Patrick Murphy	" 8, "
Patrick Farrell	" 8, "
Andrew Brennan	" 13, "

FIFTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, No. 220 Mercer Street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
George W. Dilks, *Captain*	April 8, 1853.	April 8, 1857.
John T. Wells	Jan. 18, 1853.	Jan. 18, 1857.

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Peter A. Banta, *First Lieutenant*	Dec. 29, 1854.
James Upham, *Second Lieutenant*	July 25, 1853.
William B. Walsh	" 25, "
Edward Foster	" 25, "
Edward F. Bowman	Sept. 30, "
John Demarest	" 30, "
Joseph P. Sanford	Nov. 30, "
Jackson Corsa	Jan. 9, 1854.
Joseph S. Miller	Feb. 14, "
William Robb	Mar. 1, "
Hector Moore	April 27, "
John Littell	May 31, "
W. McDonald	July 11, "
Stewart J. Smith	" 11, "
Stephen Rockwell	" 11, "
Alanson S. Jones	Sept. 12, "
John W. Bliven	" 14, "
Samuel C. Helmes	" 14, "
Herman B. Lyng	" 14, "
John H. Miller	Dec. 1, "
George H. Tinsdale	" 1, "
William Smart	" 4, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Horace B. Atherton	Dec. 4, 1854.
William De Lamater	" 4, "
Joseph H. Dye, *Doorman*	" 18, "
Edgar Davis	" 26, "
J. W. Williams	April 7, 1855.
Gustavus G. Bowker	" 7, "
John Jones	" 7, "
William B. Willis	" 9, "
William Wilson	" 13, "
Joshua Dean, *Doorman*	" 13, "
William W. Dilks	June 21, "
James Speir	" 21, "
Edmund Bodine	July 18, "
William Groat	Dec. 14, "
Samuel J. Davis	Mar. 5, 1856.
Charles C. Tucker	April 18, "
John K. Scott	" 18, "
Archibald Wilson	July 22, "
E. C. Polhamus	Aug. 14, "
Carlisle N. Roe	Jan. 9, 1857.
Henry Duncan	" 9, "
Patrick Murphy	" 10, "

SIXTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, 20th Street, between 7th and 8th Avenues.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
William Walton	Mar. 25, 1853.	Mar. 25, 1857.

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
John D. McKee, *Captain*	June 2, 1855.
Martin R. Beam, *First Lieutenant*	Jan. 8, 1857.
Henry B. May, *Second Lieutenant*	Mar. 1, 1854.
Isaac V. Purdy	May 25, 1853.
John Jackson	" 25, "
Peter Daly	Sept. 30, "
Joseph D. Apgar	" 30, "
William Jamison	Nov. 30, "
Cornelius B. Titus	" 30, "
Thomas Houston	" 30, "
Joseph Hoff	April 26, 1854.
James Fisher	" 26, "
George C. Robertson	May 9, "
William Southerland, Jr.	" 31, "
Andrew McConnell	" 31, "
John Thompson	June 19, "
Henry Brice	Sept. 14, "



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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
James Sweeny	Sept. 14, 1854.
Stephen Munn	" 14, "
David Lindsay	Dec. 1, "
James Bird, *Doorman*	" 1, "
George Fisher	" 4, "
William Greig	" 4, "
Nicholas L. C. Roome	" 26, "
Augustus C. Tate	" 26, "
Matthew Butler	" 26, "
Elias Whitehead, *Doorman*	Feb. 1, 1855.
Hugh Lynch	" 3, "
Francis McKenny	" 3, "
David Roach	April 7, "
Philip Conway	" 7, "
Charles Warnock	" 9, "
John J. Terhune	" 13, "
Richard Gambling	" 13, "
Isaac B. Smith	June 1, "
Martin Fischer	" 1, "
James Bagley	" 1, "
John Murray	" 1, "
Peter Kehoe	" 5, "
Peter O'Niele	Dec. 31, "
John Gorman	" 31, "
John K. Hardenbrook	Feb. 8, 1856.
William C. Havens	" 9, "
Thomas Cumming	" 9, "
Ed. Riner	" 9, "
John F. Nelle	Mar. 5, "
Christian Miller	" 6, "
Dennis Gallagher	April 18, "
Robert McGowan	Jan. 8, 1857.
Harrison Bellamy	" 8, "
John Hunt	" 8, "
Fleetwood Northrup	" 12, "
Edward Holt	" 12, "

SEVENTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, corner First Avenue and Fifth Street.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Jedediah W. Hart. *Captain*	Dec. 31 1851.	Dec. 31. 1855.
Albert White	Sept. 6, 1852.	Sept. 6. 1856.

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Joseph De Binder, *First Lieutenant*	Jan. 8, 1857.
Abraham G. Crasto, *Second Lieutenant*	" 24, 1854.
John M. Robbins	June 16, 1853.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Jacob Jennings	Sept. 13, 1853.
Robert B. Gilmore	" 30, "
Henry Peck	" 30, "
Edmond S. Lockwood	" 30, "
Charles McMillin	Dec. 10, "
George C. Platt	Feb. 28, 1854.
John J. Dunn	May 31, "
John N. Hoffman	July 11, "
Frederick Harsen	" 11, "
David McKirtrick	Dec. 1, "
Joseph G. Doxey	" 1, "
Owen Healy	" 1, "
John Long	" 4, "
William Raynor	" 4, "
John Brewer	" 4, "
John Pousson	" 4, "
William H. McConnell	" 4, "
D. W. C. Ward	" 26, "
William P. Thorne	" 26, "
Thomas Wacob	" 26, "
Thomas Hagan	" 26, "
John Clancey	" 29, "
Thomas P. Somerville, *Doorman*	Feb. 17, 1855.
John H. Voss	April 7, "
Frank White	" 7, "
Thomas Pearson	" 7, "
Lyman Crofeet	" 7, "
Francis Spicer	June 1, "
Charles Ebling, *Doorman*	" 30, "
Hugh P. Monaghan	" 30, "
Andrew Mulligan	July 19, "
Henry Sheppard	" 17, "
Christopher Nugent	Dec. 14, "
Edwin K. Robinson	" 14, "
Michael Mallon	" 14, "
Lewis Zeigler	" 31, "
John McMahon	Feb. 9, "
Valentine Elner	" 11, "
Jacob Smith	July 19, "
William Moore	" 19, "
John Quinn	" 19, "
Patrick Holden	Aug. 14, "
Frank Reifert	" 14, "
John McDermott	" 19, "
V. D. Campbell	Jan. 8, 1857.
Michael Farrell	" 9, "
Dennis Tierney	" 9, "
William H. Bonnell	" 13, "

EIGHTEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, 22d Street, between 1st and 2d Avenues.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
John C. Tieman	Sept. 25, 1852.	Sept. 25, 1856.

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Harris Wines, Jr., *Captain*	Aug. 18, 1856.
Theron R. Bennett, *First Lieutenant*	May 31, 1854.
Edward B. Brush, *Second Lieutenant*	Jan. 10, "
Edmond Barrett	May 25, 1853.
Reuben E. Knapp	July 28, "
Philip Farly	Jan. 3, 1854.
Isaac W. Potter	" 4, "
George Burns	" 9, "
Richard W. Sampson	" 24, "
Joseph H. Farrington	" 24, "
Samuel Barden	" 24, "
William Simms	Feb. 28, "
John H. Cowan	" 28, "
Christopher V. Hogan	April 26, "
Thomas Sampson	" 27, "
John Monroe	May 9, "
Henry Barden	July 11, "
Samuel Areson	" 11, "
James Brown	Sept. 14, "
John McIntyre	Nov. 29, "
Solomon Birdsall	Dec. 4, "
John Kiernan	" 26, "
William H. Wilson, *Doorman*	April 7, 1855.
Austin Estabrook	" 13, "
John McGunigle	May 3, "
John H. Arnout	June 1, "
David Heath	" 21, "
John Grogan	Dec. 14, "
Martin Wines	" 14, "
Andrew Hebberd	" 14, "
Henry C. Carey	" 14, "
John Sheridan	" 14, "
Andrew Cassidy	" 15, "
Thomas Moore	Jan. 1, 1856.
James Owens	Feb. 8, "
Patrick Mullane	" 9, "
Robert Shaw	" 11, "
Michael Bollard	Mar. 5, "
Timothy Carroll	" 4, "
John T. Shaw	April 19, "
Thomas Culbane	Aug. 19, "
Richard Smith, *Doorman*	" 19, "
Thomas Winne	" 21, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Michael McGrath	Jan. 12, 1857.
Lawrence Dellany	" 12, "
James Armstrong	" 12, "
John Linn	" 12, "
Patrick Lyons	" 12, "
William Broderick	" 12, "
Patrick Coffey	" 12, "
E. S. Conner	" 13, "
George Ott	" 13, "
James Rattistan	" 13, "
Philip Marsh	" 13, "
Jacob Sutton	" 13, "
James Burke	" 13, "

NINETEENTH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, Fifty-ninth Street, between Second and Third Avenues.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
John Linden, *Doorman*	Feb. 21, 1853.	Feb. 21, 1857.
James E. Mulford	April 14, "	April 14, "

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Francis J. Twomey, *Captain*	July 16, 1855.
James Brian, *First Lieutenant*	Jan. 3, "
Michael McCann, *Second Lieutenant*	April 26, 1854
Elisha R. Fletcher	Nov. 4, 1853.
Elias Ellis	Jan. 3, 1854.
Moses J. Decker	" 3, "
Jeremiah Gehen	" 3, "
Jeremiah Deady	" 3, "
George W. McCoy	" 3, "
William M. Gross	" 3, "
John C. Brewer	" 3, "
Hermon Wyatt	" 5, "
Hugh Smith	" 5, "
John McGuire	" 9, "
Thomas Booth	" 9, "
John B. Peffers	" 9, "
Aaron W. Wyatt	" 9, "
John Clemments	" 9, "
John Kennedy	" 9, "
Thomas Moxham	" 24, "
Philip Gross	" 24, "
William H. Watson	" 24, "
William Hitchman	" 25, "
John Porter	" 28, "
Stephen Shangle	" 28, "
Martin M. Green	" 28, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Ira C. Gardner	Mar. 7, 1854.
William P. Stewart	April 26, "
Peter Jones, Jr.	" 26, "
Joshua Hodgson	" 26, "
William B. Lowery	May 31, "
Thomas Beaty	July 11, "
Theo. Bumstead	Sept. 14, "
Dennis Flynn	Feb. 1, 1855.
George W. Rockwell	" 3, "
Richard Lydecker	April 7, "
Thomas Elgin	June 21, "
William Griffiths, *Doorman*	Nov. 30, "
John A. Haggerty	Dec. 14, "
James Crowley	" 14, "
Henry L. Marsh, *Doorman*	Jan. 4, 1856.
James Sadler	" 3, "
Dennis Hanley	Feb. 13, "
Daniel O'Connell	April 25, "
Wm. Fullmer	July 22, "
Michael Burke	" 22, "
Mathew Lyons	Oct. 3, "
Bernard Morrissey	Jan. 9, 1857.
William Coughlin	" 9, "
George N. Duryea	" 9, "
James Malone	" 9, "
Timothy Gallaghan	" 9, "
James H. Manamy, *Doorman*	" 13, "
Samuel P. Spiers	" 13, "
William Hunt	" 13, "
Hugh Gillespie	" 13, "
Charles Maguire	" 14, "

TWENTIETH PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, 35th Street, between 8th and 9th Avenues.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Swain Lindsley	Jan. 24, 1852.	Jan. 24, 1857.
George Butcher	Feb. 4, "	Feb. 4, "
Charles Disch	Jan. 7, 1853.	Jan. 7, 1857.
John Gaw, *Doorman*	" 22, "	" 22, "

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POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
William Joyce, *Captain*	Sept. 26, 1856.
Charles R. Trigler, *First Lieutenant*	" 26, "
Aaron S. Hotchkiss, *Second Lieutenant*	Dec. 14, 1855.
Patrick W. McDonnell	April 27, 1853.
James Bloomer	May 25, "
Isaac Ammerman	June 1, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Michael Devine	July 28, 1853.
Charles Roff	Sept. 13, "
Robert Castle	Nov. 4, "
Andrew Clow	Jan. 9, 1854.
Harvey T. Martine	April 27, "
William Doyle	Sept. 14, "
John H. Layman	June 1, 1855.
James Lucas	" 1, "
Peter O'Reilly	Dec. 14, "
Patrick Burke	" 14, "
Clemence Heines, *Doorman*	" 15, "
John Dugan	Mar. 4, 1856.
James Walsh	" 4, "
William M. Dutcher	" 4, "
Matthew McConnell	" 4, "
John C. Edradt	" 4, "
Hugh Murray	" 5, "
Andrew B. Mooney	" 5, "
Laurence Harvey	" 5, "
Louis De Moulin	" 5, "
Patrick Fitzpatrick	" 5, "
Robert McGinnis	" 5, "
Peter Hart	" 5, "
John Foley	" 5, "
Robert White	" 5, "
Morris D. Underhill	" 6, "
Moses C. Ryer	" 6, "
James Caber	" 6, "
Otto Teityen	" 6, "
John Magin	" 6, "
William A. Wacker	" 6, "
Bernard Donnelly	" 6, "
Phillip Christman	" 6, "
Philip Holtz	" 6, "
Michael Martin	" 6, "
Patrick Toole	" 6, "
Theodore Freude	" 6, "
John Gillen	" 6, "
Francis Powderly	" 6, "
Patrick O'Neil	" 6, "
Jacob Moore	Mar. 7, "
Adam Wegmerwan	" 7, "
George Butcher	Aug. 16, "
Alexander McCaffray	" 16, "
Henry Newman	Sept. 26, "
Henry Harrison	Jan. 12, 1857.
Patrick McCann	" 12, "
John Steinert	" 12, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Edmund Butler	Jan. 12, 1857.
James Logue	" 12, "
Alonzo Vredenburgh	" 12, "
John Mollon	" 12, "
Bernard McParlen	" 12, "
Casper Antes	" 12, "
James Sheridan	" 12, "
Cornelius O'Connor	" 12, "
Terrence McGuire	" 12, "
Patrick Garagan	" 12, "
Michael McCabe	" 12, "
Thomas Cainen	" 13, "
Bernard Duffy	" 13, "
John D. Nadle	" 15, "
Thomas Gillen	" 15, "
William C. Austen	" 15, "

TWENTY-FIRST PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, 29th Street, between 4th and Madison Avenues.

Appointed during good behavior.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Francis C. Speight, *Captain*	Jan. 3, 1854.
Thomas McParlin, *First Lieutenant*	Jan. 1, 1856.
Albert M. Palmer, *Second Lieutenant*	" 3, 1854.
James G. Forbes	" 3, "
James O'Neil	" 3, "
Thomas Bradburn	" 3, "
Peter Knillen	" 3, "
Abel Wares	" 3, "
Walter Weeks	" 3, "
Daniel Roff, *Doorman*	" 3, "
William Robertson, Jr.	" 5, "
Aaron Leborvean	" 5, "
Thomas McGuire	" 9, "
Nathaniel B. Abbott	" 9, "
Michael Flanagan	" 3, "
John J. Ward	" 3, "
Robert Tucker	" 12, "
Christian F. Cornell	" 24, "
Southwell D. W. Davis	" 24, "
Charles L. Chapin	" 24, "
Walter L. Sanford	Feb. 28, "
Timothy H. Gleason	" 28, "
Peter S. Fowler	" 28, "
Robert J. Matthews	" 28, "
Benjamin Thomas, *Doorman*	" 28, "
Bryan McCahill	May 9, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Charles C. Underwood	May 10, 1854.
Abraham Stevens	July 11, "
William Peck	Sept. 14, "
Edward J. Earle	" 14, "
Abraham Connor	" 14, "
Edmund Johnson	Dec. 1, "
Alexander M. Manolt	" 1, "
Daniel Boland	" 4, "
Abram S. Relay	" 29, "
Warren S. Taylor	" 29, "
Bruce Bradford	May 31, 1854.
Peter Hadden	June 21, "
John M. Tracey	" 21, "
James Gasherie	July 18, "
Hugh McCabe	Jan. 1, 1856.
William H. Busteed	" 3, "
F. S. Sallistere	Feb. 11, 1856.
Peter McIntyre	April 17, "
Isaac H. Austen	" 17, "
John Dumphy	" 18, "
John O'Connor	July 22, "
John Towers	" 22, "
Richard T. Quidor	" 22, "
Frederick Welp	Jan. 14, 1857.

TWENTY-SECOND PATROL DISTRICT.

Station-house, 8th Avenue, corner of 48th Street.

Appointed during good behavior.

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Daniel Witter, *Captain*	Jan. 3, 1853.
Terence Riley, *First Lieutenant*	May 30, 1855.
William Van Norden, *Second Lieutenant*	Feb. 14, "
Philip Dunn, *Doorman*	June 2, 1853.
George L. Thein	Oct. 1, "
John McGaughan	Nov. 4, "
Francis Kearnan, Jr.	Jan. 3, "
William Gray	" 3, "
John White	" 3, "
Michael Kelly	" 3, "
John Murphy	" 3, "
John W. Hull	" 3, "
Edward Hossey	" 3, "
Wm. P. Smith	" 3, "
Lorenzo Sebastian	" 3, "
Abraham Depew	" 3, "
George L. Downs	" 3, "
John Cronk	" 3, "

POLICEMEN.	WHEN APPOINTED.
Thomas S. Lear	Jan. 3, 1853.
Edward Sweeney	" 9, "
Abraham Forshay	April 27, "
Hugh Masterson	Nov. 20, 1854.
Ludwig Semler	Jan. 20, 1855.
Monmouth B. Wilson	" 20, "
John Cokeley	" 20, "
Michael Corey	" 20, "
Thomas Fizsimmons	" 20, "
William A. Ross	" 20, "
Thomas McCracken	" 20, "
Thomas Burris	" 22, "
Michael Schnieler	" 22, "
Jacob Smith	" 22, "
Hugh Roarke	" 29, "
Edward Hoyt	" 25, "
Joseph Cook	April 7, "
Patrick McGuire	May 30, "
John H. Blunt	June 1, "
Joseph Weyer	" 4, "
Daniel Fallon	Nov. 30, "
Charles Albertson	" 30, "
George F. Bord	" 30, "
John Connell	" 30, "
Nathaniel C. Husted	Dec. 31, "
Thomas Eagan	Feb. 9, 1856.
George Nuger	" 9, "
William Dickerson	" 9, "
Patrick Kelly	July 22, "
Daniel Marsh	Sept. 20, "
John Garrison	" 27, "
Edward Rierson	Jan. 8, 1857.
Charles Boyd	" 12, "
Thomas Martin	" 12, "
Thomas Daly	" 12, "
John Needham	" 16, "



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A. Oakey Hall, *District Attorney.*

John Sedgwick, *Assistant District Attorney.*

Henry Vandervoort, *Clerk of Oyer and Terminer, General and Special Sessions.*

John Sparks, *Deputy Clerk.*

ATTENDANTS.

Courts of General and Special Sessions.

Court of Oyer and Terminer, and Supreme Court.

Henry Bertholf,
John F. Skidmore,
Nathaniel Hepburn,
Wm. Hartnett,
Joseph P. Smith,
Ambrose De Fries,
Richard Kimmins,
Edward Knight,
Benjamin W. Buchanan,
Samuel Rowland,

R. W. Bishop.

Superior Court.

Leonard Hoffman,
Samuel S. Acker,
Chas. U. Combs,
James G. Kent,
James Ryan,
Jonathan Odell,
Thomas F. Jackson,
Thomas Ryan,
Chas. Goldin,
Jesse Wood,

John Reid.

Court of Common Pleas.

Edward A. Davin,
W. H. Brown,
John Moggs,
Stephen W. Dusenberry,
John Major,
Wm. Meehan,
Timothy Weeks,
John Cooper,

Allen McKeachie.

Marine Court.

John Ganett,
P. Lawler,
J. Kevlin,
H. Whitehead,
S. S. Thompson,
W. J. Bishop,
G. C. Maynard,
D. G. Gale,

E. Shandley.

STATEMENT OF CONVICTIONS, ACQUITTALS, &c.

Had in the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Sessions of the Peace, in and for the city and county of New York, from 1839 *to* 1856, *a period of eighteen years.*

OFFENCES.	1839.	1840.	1841.	1842.	1843.	1844.	1845.	1846.	1847.	1848.	1849.	1850.	1851.	1852.	1853.	1854.	1855.	1856.
Murder	2		1	2			2	1	1	1	1		8	4	3	1	1	
Arson, first degree, (capital)					1						1							
Manslaughter, (various degrees)	4	3	8		3	7	2	2	1	3	6	4	8	6	17	15	9	12
Assault and battery, with intent to kill or maim	5	3	2	3	4	8	4	6	4		6	5	9	7	10	11	12	19
" " " to rob					1						2	2			1	1	5	10
Rape and intent to commit rape	1	1	4		1	1	5	4	5	1	4	2	1	1	4	4		
Abandoning a child in public highway			1						1									
Robbery, (first degree)	2	6	4	5		3	2	3	11	6	4	10	3	15	10	7	5	6
Riot, with assault		8	26	6	8	17	7	2		4	13	49	6	17	45	32		
Assault and battery	54	104	10	73	86	81	52	39	40	47	19	50	41	37	71	63	47	55
Procuring abortion			2			5		2	1									
Bigamy	4	2	2	1	2		3	2	5	3	1	3	1	4		2	1	5
Incest													1	1				
Sodomy									1		1							
Perjury and subornation of perjury	3	2		2	2	2	2				2			2			2	1
Arson, (not capital)	1	1	1	1										1		1		
Burglary, (various degrees)	22	34	28	55	68	55	43	24	32	31	18	51	47	54	64	52	67	76
Attempt to commit felonies	4	2	7	2	5	6	4	6	10	6	10	10	9	14	9	19	48	64
Embezzlement				1		1			1	1				2		3		2
Grand larceny, and second offence	73	68	90	71	84	58	73	76	61	91	87	86	105	119	155	112	62	94
Petit larceny, and attempt to commit petit larceny	90	63	57	48	40	42	40	88	66	54	95	101	76	51	75	91	130	109
" " second offence	3	3	4			3	1	3					6	8	2			3
Obtaining property by false pretences	2	6	4	3	5	7	8	9	10	16	10	11	8	8	12	14	11	7

Conspiracy				1	2	4			2	5		2												
Carrying slung-shot, (felony)											3	3	1	1	4	4								
Receiving stolen goods, (scienter)	6	3	10	8	3	10	6	5	7	8	13	8	4	9	6	6	10	15	10	15	10	15	10	15
Accessory to felony						1		1					1											
Forgery, (various degrees)	12	9	4	27	22	8	11	9	7	7	12	13	17	15	15	25	19	30	19	30	19	30	19	30
Receiving challenge to fight a duel				1																				
Breaking prison							1																	
Aiding prisoners to escape		1				1	1		1															
Keeping gambling and disorderly house	1	4	12	16	12	24	7	36	18		16	16	15	16	14	38	7	9	7	9	7	9	7	9
Nuisance		2	13	2	2	1	4	5		3		1				2								
Selling, insuring and advertising lottery tickets	7	15	10	4	1	3		2	2	4		1	1		6	10	2		2		2		2	
Libel	3	14	2	10	13	2	2	4		1		2	1		6	4	2		2		2		2	
Cruelty to animals	1				2							1		1										
Selling liquor without license	7		1			4	3	1	1					14	307	10	1		1		1		1	
Misdemeanor	3	1	3	12	7	8	1	4	8	14	1	8	7	1	6	16	10		10		10		10	
Acquitted	123	136	153	163	119	103	142	72	78	107	91	102	93	106	155	168	141	77	141	77	141	77	141	77
Sentenced to be executed	2		1	2			2	1	1	1	2		8	4	3	1	1		1		1		1	
" to State prison	104	125	138	151	109	127	125	113	121	136	145	168	200	227	252	225	165	216	165	216	165	216	165	216
" to county prisons	88	99	82	78	60	91	64	115	86	96	124	113	91	89	123	144	151	174	151	174	151	174	151	174
" to House of Refuge	13	6	11	12	11	11	25	18	19	19	4	21	8	7	23	2	10	14	10	14	10	14	10	14
Indictments found by Grand Jury	1008	1059	871	909	942	807	765	767	593	651	639	788	835	945	1934	2696	997	986	997	986	997	986	997	986
Complaints dismissed by "	503	354	312	294	271	215	463	216	182	206	206	415	281	221	220	205	142	105	142	105	142	105	142	105

Of the thirty persons sentenced to be executed in the above period, twelve were executed; one has been pardoned; the punishment of twelve has been commuted to imprisonment for life; one committed suicide; three had new trials ordered by the Court of Appeals, two of whom were subsequently convicted of manslaughter, and yet to be tried; and in one case a writ of error, with a stay of execution, is now pending.

CONVICTIONS, ACQUITTALS AND DISCHARGES,

By the Court of Special Sessions in and for the city and county of New York, from the year 1835 to 1856, inclusive.

CONVICTIONS, &c.	1835.	1836.	1837.	1838.	1839.	1840.	1841.	1842.	1843.	1844.	1845.	1846.	1847.	1848.	1849.	1850.	1851.	1852.	1853.	1854.	1855.	1856.
Convictions, petit larceny.....	394	341	340	261	349	526	666	744	907	896	991	977		1004	1180	1419	1453	1477	415	1411	2047	1788
Acquittals, "	83	69	49	73	93	97	78	138	142	148	193	220	173	258	261	219	187	211	179	108	196	203
Convictions, assault & battery..	217	191	188	125	165	226	296	287	395	551	615	509	334	436	558	837	662	973	1230	1152		986
Acquittals.....	36	18	14	26	33	32	30	33	54	86	90	87	48	52	59	76	43	5	67	66	926	84
Discharges.....	407	48	542	429	581	488	396	375	537	828	1158	1109	697	672	938	1288	1194	1167	1120	1184	84	1454
Misdemeanors.....																					28	25
" acquitted.....																					6	4
Totals.....	1127	1067	1133	914	1219	1369	1466	1577	2032	2519	3047	2922	2352	2502	2996	3932	3539	3833	3944	3921	3290	3549
Number of Trials in Special Sessions.....	659	573	553	434	614	839	1001	1119	1311	1495	1741	1651	1399	1635	1837	2218	2079	2401	2570	1528	1942	2803
Sentenced to county prisons...	357	318	418	296	241	508	682	737	987	1058	1128	1075	981	1003	1120	1403	1179	1251	1242	1159	1528	1426
" House of Refuge..	6	18	20	27	25	28	67	63	55	56	66	56	51	52	71	112	94	97	119	77	9	41

JUDICIARY.

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.

Roger B. Taney, of Maryland, *Chief Justice*.
John M'Lean, Ohio, *Associate Justice*.
Jas. M. Wayne, Georgia, "
John Catron, Tennessee, "
Peter V. Daniel, Virginia, "
Saml. Neilson, New York, "
Robt. C. Grier, Pennsylvania, "
Benj. R. Curtiss, Massachusetts, "
John A. Campbell, Alabama. "

COURT OF APPEALS,

STATE OF NEW YORK,

is composed of eight Judges, of whom four are elected by the people at large, for eight years, and four selected from the Justices of the Supreme Court having the shortest time to serve.

CHOSEN BY THE PEOPLE AT LARGE.

Hiram Denio, of Utica. Term expires December, 1857.
Alexander S. Johnson, of New York. Term expires December, 1859.
Geo. F. Comstock. Term expires December, 1861.
Samuel L. Selden. Term expires December, 1863.

SUPREME COURT.

First District.

TERM EXPIRES DECEMBER 31.

William Mitchell, New York.....1857.
James J. Roosevelt, " 1859.
Henry E. Davies, " 1860.
Thomas W. Clerke, " 1861.
*Chas. A. Peabody, " 1863.

Second District.

John W. Brown, Newburgh.....1857.
Selah B. Strong, Setauket.....1859.
†Lucien Birdseye, Brooklyn.....1861.
J. Emot, Poughkeepsie.....1863.

Third District.

William B. Wright, Monticello.....1857
Ira Harris, Amboy.....1859.
Malbone Watson, Albany.....1861.
Geo. Gould.....1863.

* Appointed to fill vacancy occasioned by resignation of Judge Whiting, until the next election.
† " " " decease of Judge Rockwell, " "

Fourth District.

A. Rosekrans.....1857.
Cornelius L. Allen, Salem.....1859.
Amaziah B. James, Ogdensburg.....1861.
Alonzo C. Paige.....1863.

Fifth District.

Frederick W. Hubbard, Watertown.....1857.
Daniel Pratt, Syracuse.....1859.
William J. Bacon, Utica.....1861.
———Allen.....1863.

Sixth District.

William H. Shankland, Ithaca.....1857.
Hiram Gray, Elmira.....1859.
Charles Mason, Hamilton.....1861.
———Balcom.....1863.

Seventh District.

Thomas A. Johnson, Corning.....1857.
Theron R. Strong, Palmyra.....1859.
Henry Wells, Penn Yan.....1861.
———Smith.....1863.

Eighth District.

Levi F. Bowe, Lockport.....1857.
James Mullett, Buffalo.....1859.
Benjamin F. Greene, Buffalo.....1861.
———Marvin.....1863.

Assignment of Courts and Judges in the City of New York, for the Years 1856 *and* 1857.

GENERAL TERMS.

1856.

First Monday of February	Judges	Roosevelt and Clerke.	
"	May	"	Roosevelt, Clerke and Whiting.
"	September	"	Roosevelt, Clerke and Davis.
"	November	"	Roosevelt, Whiting and Davies.

1857.

First Monday of February	Judges	Mitchell, Roosevelt and Davies.	
"	May	"	Mitchell, Roosevelt and Peabody.
Second "	September	"	Mitchell, Clerke and Davies.
First "	November	"	Mitchell, Clerke and Peabody.

CIRCUITS.

1856.

First Monday of January	by Judge		
"	February	"	Whiting.
"	March	"	Roosevelt.
"	April	"	Clerke.

First Monday of	May	by Judge	Davies.
"	June	"	Roosevelt.
Second "	September	"	Whiting.
First "	October	"	Davies.
"	November	"	Clerke.
"	December	"	Peabody.

1857.

First Monday of	January	by Judges	Roosevelt and Davies.
"	February	"	Clerke.
"	March	"	Mitchell and Peabody.
"	April	"	Roosevelt and Peabody.
"	May	"	Davies.
"	June	"	Clerke and Peabody.
Second "	September	"	Roosevelt.
First "	October	"	Mitchell and Clerke.
"	November	"	Davies.
"	December	"	Clerke.

Where two Judges are to hold the Circuit at the same time, the one last-named will take up the Calendar, beginning with the last three hundred causes, and continue with those causes and such as may be added to the Calendar afterward. In such cases, double the usual number of jurors will be summoned, unless the business of the Oyer and Terminer shall prevent the attendance of more than one Judge at the Circuit.

OYER AND TERMINER.

At the same time with the Circuits, in the months of April and October.

SPECIAL TERMS.

1856.

First Monday of	January	by Judge	Roosevelt.
"	March	"	Clerke.
"	April	"	Davies.
"	June	"	Whiting.
"	October	"	Clerke.
"	December	"	Roosevelt.

1857.

First Monday of	January	by Judge	Mitchell.
"	March	"	Roosevelt.
"	April	"	Clerke.
"	June	"	Davies.
"	October	"	Peabody.
"	December	"	Roosevelt

And every Saturday for Special Motions. The Saturday Special Motion Terms will be held when the Special Terms are not in session, by the Judge assigned to sit in Chambers during the month. The Judge sitting in Chambers, will at the same time hold Special Term for any *ex parte* business, and for such litigated business as he shall expressly permit.

CHAMBER BUSINESS.

1856.	1857.
January by Judge Whiting.	January..... by Judge Clerke
February..... " All the Judges.	February..... " " Peabody.
March..... " Judge	March..... " " Davies.
April..... " " Roosevelt.	April " " Mitchell.
May..... " All the Judges.	May..... " " Clerke.
June..... " Judge Clerke.	June..... " " Mitchell.
July " " Whiting.	July..... " " Davies
August " " Davies.	August..... " " Peabody.
September..... " All the Judges.	September..... " " Peabody.
October..... " Judge Whiting.	October..... " " Roosevelt.
November..... " All the Judges.	November..... " " Roosevelt.
December..... " Judge Clerke.	December..... " " Davies.

REGULATIONS.

All issues of fact already joined and triable in the city of New York, will be noticed to the Clerk, and be put on the Calendar for the ensuing January Circuit.

During the first week of that Circuit, motions to correct the Calendar may be made.

After that week the Calendar will remain unchanged, and continue the Calendar for every successive Circuit, until all the causes on it shall be tried; each Circuit beginning on the Calendar where the immediately preceding Circuit left off.

Fifteen causes a day, and no more, will be called at General and Special Terms, and before each Judge at Circuit, unless otherwise specially ordered.

No cause will be set down for a particular day at a Circuit, unless sworn off when called, on account of the absence of a witness, on payment of costs.

If the trial of a cause shall not be moved by either party, when called in its order on the Circuit Calendar, it will go to the foot of the Calendar, and not be called again until it shall be reached in that place.

All new issues will be noticed for the first day of the next Circuit, after the same shall be joined, and be put in their order at the foot of the permanent Calendar.

After the first week of each Circuit, (during which motions to correct the Calendar may be made,) the Calendar of the causes which may have gone down at the previous Circuit, and the new issue will be entered as part, and in continuance of the permanent Calendar; and so on, from court to court, until the end of the year.

These regulations do not affect the question of noticing the causes for trial to the opposite party, from court to court, as the statute may require.

SPECIAL CIRCUIT CALENDAR.

At any Circuit, until further orders, any causes belonging to either of the two following classes, may be placed on a Special Circuit Calendar, unless the trial is likely to occupy more than one hour.

1st. When the action is on contract, and the answer merely denies the allegations in the complaint, without setting up any new matter.

2d. Where the action is on contract, and new matter is set up in the answer, and there shall be reason to believe that the defence is made only for the purposes of delay.

To entitle the cause to be placed on such Calendar, the Plaintiff's Attorney must give a notice of four days, to be heard before a Judge at Chambers, that he will move to have the cause placed on such calendar; and if the motion be granted, the cause may be heard on any subsequent Friday.

If the motion be founded on the belief that the defence is for delay, affidavits must be served at the time of notice.

The Plaintiff's Attorney must deliver to the Clerk of the Circuit a like notice, one day before such Friday, containing also the number of the cause on the General Circuit Calendar.

If the cause shall actually occupy more than one hour on the trial, the trial may be suspended at the discretion of the Court, and the cause be put down at the foot of the Calendar.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Thomas J. Oakley, *Chief Justice.*
*John Slosson
John Duer,
Joseph S. Bosworth,
Murray Hoffman,
Lewis B. Woodruff, } *Justices.*
George T. Maxwell, *Clerk.*

GENERAL TERM.

Held on the first Monday of January, February, March, April, May, June, October, November and December.

TRIAL TERMS.

Held on the first Monday of January, February, March, April, May, June, October, November and December.

During the General Term, one of the Justices will hold a court at Chambers daily, at one o'clock, P.M.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

D. P. Ingraham,
C. P. Daly,
John R. Brady. } *Justices.*
B. H. Jarvis, *Clerk.*

* The surname of Judge Slosson was last year unintentionally written "Edward."

TERMS OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

For the City and County of New York, for the years 1856 *and* 1857.

GENERAL TERMS FOR ARGUMENTS, &c.

First Monday of March.....Held by all the Judges.
" " July..... " " "
" " November..... " " "

Opens at eleven o'clock, A.M.

GENERAL TERMS FOR SUBMISSION OF APPEALS FROM INFERIOR COURTS, AND ORDERS OF SPECIAL TERM.

Fourth Monday of January.....Judges Ingraham and Brady.
" " March..... " Daly and Brady.
" " April..... " Ingraham and Daly.
" " May..... " Ingraham and Brady.
" " September..... " Daly and Brady.
" " November..... " Ingraham and Daly.
" " December..... " Ingraham and Brady.

Appeals may also be noticed and submitted for the first Monday of March, July and November. Open at eleven o'clock, A.M.

SPECIAL TERMS FOR THE TRIAL OF ISSUES OF FACT.

	Part I.	*Part II.*
First Monday of January.....	Judge Daly.	Judge Brady.
" " February.....	" Ingraham.	" Daly.
" " April.....	" Daly.	" Brady.
" " May.....	" Ingraham.	" Daly.
" " June.....	" Brady.	" Ingraham.
" " October.....	" Daly.	" Brady.
" " December.....	" Brady.	" Ingraham

Open at ten o'clock, A.M.

No day Calendar will be made up for Saturday.

SPECIAL TERMS FOR THE TRIAL OF LAW, AND FOR MOTIONS, &C.

1st Monday, Jan.	Judge Ingraham.	1st Monday, July,	Judge Ingraham.
" Feb.	" Brady.	" Aug.	" Brady.
" March	" Daly.	" Sept.	" Daly.
" April	" Ingraham.	" Oct.	" Ingraham.
" May	" Brady.	" Nov.	" Brady.
" June	" Daly.	" Dec.	" Daly.

Open at ten o'clock, A.M.

VACATION.

First week in January.....Judge Ingraham.
Fifth " March..... " Daly.
" " June..... " Brady.
" " September..... " Ingraham.
" " December..... " Daly.



by Geo. Hayward, 120 Water St. N.Y. for D.T. Valentine's Manual, for 1857.

BOURNE'S STORE
Broadway near Franklin St. N.Y.
1831.

MARINE COURT.

A. Thompson,
A. K. Maynard,
Florence McCarthy. } *Justices.*
Moses D. Gale, *Clerk.*

Open every day except Sunday.

UNITED STATES COURT.

Southern District of New York, comprising the following counties: Columbia, Dutchess, Greene, Kings, New York, Orange Putnam, Queens, Richmond, Rockland, Suffolk, Sullivan, Ulster and Westchester.

OFFICERS OF THE COURT.

Samuel Nelson, } Associate Justice of U. S. Supreme Court, and Judge of the Circuit Court.
Samuel R. Betts, Judge of the District Court.
John McKeon, U. S. District Attorney.
Abraham T. Hillyer, U. S. Marshal.
John W. Nelson, Clerk of Circuit Court.
Richard E. Stilwell, Deputy Clerk.
George W. Morton, Clerk of District Court.
Joseph Bridgham, Deputy Clerk.
George E. Betts, Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS.

John W. Nelson, George W. Morton,
Richard E. Stilwell, George D. Betts,
Joseph Bridgham.

U. S. COMMISSIONERS TO TAKE AFFIDAVITS, DEPOSITIONS, BAILS, ETC.

The Clerks of the Circuit and District Courts and their Chief Deputies and Commissioners, ex officio, for the city and county of New York; and the County Clerks of the remaining counties, comprising the Southern District of New York, are Commissioners, ex officio, for those counties.

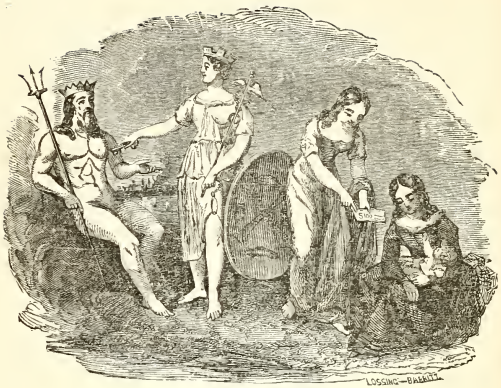
COURT TERMS.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Equity and Criminal Terms, last Monday in February.
General Terms, first Monday in April, and third Monday in October.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

General Term, first Tuesday in each month.
Special Term, every Tuesday.



FIRE DEPARTMENT.

*Henry H. Howard,	*Chief Engineer*		108 Leonard street.
Peter N. Cornwell,	*Asst.* "		5 Ludlow street.
John Baulch,	" "		76 Frankfort street.
John A. Cregier,	" "		51 Morton street.
Tim. L. West,	" "		259 West 17th street.
John Decker,	" "		13 Ann street.
Elisha Kingsland,	" "		44 First street.
Noah L. Farnham,	" "		5 Varick place.
Wm. T. Mawbey,	" "		Harlem.
G. J. Ruch,	" "		112 East 25th street.
John Brice,	" "		282 West 31st street.
James F. Wenman,	" "		2 King street.
Ed. W. Jacobs,	" "		259 Delancey street.

PERSONS EMPLOYED BY THE CHIEF ENGINEER, AT THE PUBLIC YARD, NO. 21 ELIZABETH STREET.

G. W. Wheeler,	*Foreman*	78 Essex street.
Ed. Jollie		526 Greenwich street.

* Elected Chief Engineer, February 3, 1857, which causes a vacancy in the Board of Engineers, but no other changes in the officers at the time of putting this portion to press.

Wm. R. Edwards.....154 Suffolk street.
Benj. Austin.....15 Suffolk street.
Ebr. Chambers 104 Orchard street.
David Coulan.....59 Mott street.
John J. Bovras.....10 Ludlow street.
Jacob Miller.....99 Mott street.
Samuel A Edwards.....154 Suffolk street.

OFFICERS OF THE DEPARTMENT.

David Milliken, *President* 25 Broadway, h. 759 Broadway.
John Gillelan, *Vice President* 42 Wall street, h. Harlem.
William A. Woodhull, *Secretary* 207 Front st. h 184 Henry st.
John C. Giles, *Treasurer* 34 Elizabeth st., h. 184 Tenth st.
David Theall, *Collector* 112 Fourth street.

TRUSTEES

Henry A. Barr, *President* c. Cliff & Frankfort, h 337th st.
James Kelly, *Secretary* 330 Pearl street.

Committee on Donations.

Jonas N. Phillips 85 Pike slip, h 73 Greene street.
James Y. Watkins 16 Catharine st., h 28 Henry st.
Zophar Mills 14 Front st., h 207 Madison st.
Albert J. Delatour.....25½ Wall st., h. 10 City Hall pl.
Samuel B Thomson.....84 Beekman, h 148 Laurens st.
Henry H. Howard, (Tax Rec'rs Office), 32 Chambers st., h. 103 Leonard.
William Williams 115 W. 19th st , h. 117 W. 19th.

Committee on Schools.
James Y. Watkins,
Jonas N. Phillips,
William Williams.

Committee on Fines and Penalties.
Jonas N. Phillips,
Samuel B. Thomson,
Henry H. Howard.

Committee on Finance.
Zophar Mills.
Albert J. Delatour,
William Williams.

Committee on Fuel.
Albert J. Delatour,
Samuel B. Thomson,
Henry A. Burr,

Special Committee to Solicit Donations.
Zophar Mills, Albert J. Delatour,
James Y. Watkins.

Places to keep the Book to receive Reports of Chimneys being on Fire.

Fire Warden's Office, No. 21 Elizabeth street; and Chief Engineer's Office, No. 21 Elizabeth street.

All complaints of violation of the laws of the State and of the Corporation, relative to fires, powder, construction of buildings, &c., are to be made to the

FIRE WARDENS

John Crossin, *President*.....57 Spring street.
Floyd S. Gregg.....39 Watts street.

Wm. Wessels.....13 Dutch street.
David Theall.....112 Fourth street.
Charles L. Merritt.....72 Division street.
John T. Harding.....647 Fourth street.
Michael Eichell.....108 Eldridge street.
Lewis C. Meeks.....336 Front street.
Robert B. Sanderson.....181 Church street.
Geo. C. Brown.....8 Cornelia street.
Theodore Keeler.....74 Second avenue.
W. H. McDonough.....125 Mulberry street.

At the Office, No. 21 Elizabeth street.

JOHN B. LEVERICH, *Clerk*, 163 Third avenue.

POLICE STATION-HOUSES.

Where Books are kept to receive Reports of Chimneys being on Fire.

1. Franklin Market.
2. No. 49 Beekman street.
3. No. 79 Warren street.
4. No. 9 Oak street.
5. No. 49 Leonard street.
6. Franklin, near Baxter street.
7. Gouverneur slip.
8. Old Watch House, cor. Prince and Wooster streets.
9. 94 Charles street.
10. Ludlow, corner of Grand street.
11. Union Market.
12. 126th street, between 3d and 4th avs., and at Manhattanville.
13. Cr. Attorney and Delancey sts.
14. Spring street, near Marion.
15. No. 220 Mercer street.
16. Twentieth street, bet. Seventh and Eighth avenues.
17. Fifth street and First avenue.
18. Twenty-second street, bt. First and Second avenues.
19. Fifty-ninth street, bet. Second and Third avenues.
20. Thirty-fifth street, bet. Eighth and Ninth avenue.
21. Twenty-ninth st., bet, Fourth and Madison avenues.
22. Eighth av, near Forty-eighth street.

FIRE COMPANIES.

There are forty-six engine companies, fifty-seven hose companies, and thirteen hook and ladder companies; nearly all of which are supplied with the necessary apparatus for service.

There are also four hydrant companies, whose duty it is to take charge of the hydrants at fires.

FIRE DISTRICTS.

The city is divided into Eight Fire Districts, as follows:

The First Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city lying north of Twenty-second street, and east of the Sixth avenue.

The Second Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city lying north of Twenty-second street, and west of the Sixth avenue,

The Third Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Beginning at the foot of North Moore street, on the North river, and extending easterly in a straight line to the corner of Leonard and Church streets; thence northerly, in a straight line to the corner of Eighth avenue and Twenty-second street; thence westerly, along Twenty-second street to the North river; thence southerly, along the North river, to the place of beginning.

The Fourth Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Beginning at the corner of Leonard and Church streets; running thence northerly, in a straight line to the corner of Eighth avenue and Twenty-second street; thence easterly, along Twenty-second street to Lexington avenue; thence southerly, in a straight line to the corner of Elm and Leonard streets, and thence westerley in a straight line to the corner of Church and Leonard streets.

The Fifth Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Commencing at the corner of Elm and Leonard streets; and running thence northerly, in a straight line to the corner of Lexington avenue and Twenty-second street; thence easterly, along Twenty-second street to the East river; thence southerly, and along the East river to Fourteenth street; thence south-westerly, in a straight line to the corner of Leonard and Baxter streets; thence westerly, in a straight line to the place of beginning.

The Sixth Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows; Beginning at the corner of Leonard and Baxter streets; and running thence easterly, in a straight line to the foot of Market street on the East river; thence along the East river to Fourteenth street; thence south-westerly, in a straight line to the place of beginning.

The Seventh Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Beginning at the foot of Market street on the East river; and running thence westerly, in a straight line to the corner of Leonard and Elm streets; thence southerly, along a straight line interseeting Wall street, at the junction of Nassau, Wall and Broad streets, and continued through the Battery to the North river.

The Eighth Fire District shall comprise all that part of the city bounded and containing as follows: Beginning at the foot of North Moore street on the North river, and running thence easterly, in a straight line to the corner of Leonard and Elm streets; thence southerly along a straight line interseeting with Wall street, at the junction of Nassau, Wall and Broad streets, and continued through the Battery to the North river.

In case of fire in the First District, the signal shall be one stroke from the alarm bells.

In the Second District, two strokes.

"	Third	"	three	"
"	Fourth	"	four	"
"	Fifth	"	five	"
"	Sixth	"	six	"

In the Seventh District seven strokes.
" Eighth " eight "

All the engine, hose, and hook and ladder companies located in the First and Second Districts, shall be required to do duty in both the said districts.

All the engine, hose, and hook and ladder companies, located in the Third and Fourth Districts, shall be required to do duty in both the said districts.

All the engine, hose, and hook and ladder companies, located in the Fifth and Sixth Districts, shall be required to do duty in both said districts.

All the engine, hose, and hook and ladder companies, located in the Seventh and Eighth Districts, shall be required to do duty in both said districts

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1850.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 11, 1850.

Approved by the Mayor, November 25, 1850.

The force in each Fire District is as follows:

First District.

Eleven engines, seven hose carriages, and three hook and ladder trucks.

Second District.

Eight engines, five hose carriages, and two hook and ladder trucks.

Third District.

Four engines, ten hose carriages, and two hook and ladder trucks.

Fourth District.

Six engines, six hose carriages, and two hook and ladder trucks.

Fifth District.

Four engines, five hose carriages, and one hook and ladder truck.

Sixth District.

Eight engines, fifteen hose carriages, and three hook and ladder trucks.

Seventh District.

Four engines, five hose carriages, and one hook and ladder truck.

Eighth District.

Four engines and five hose carriages.

Resolved, That hereafter, all fire companies shall do duty in any two fire districts the Chief Engineer may designate, and that *no* company be allowed to take their apparatus into any other district, except by his permission or direction, or in case of a general alarm.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 6, 1855.

Adopted by the Board of Councilmen, June 8, 1855.

Approved June 12, 1855.

Engine companies Nos. 1, 7, 10, 12, 25, 28, 33, 37, 39, 48; hose companies, Nos. 30, 32, 37, 39, 42, 44, 45, 46, 51; and hook and ladder companies Nos. 8 and 9, will attend all fires in the first and second districts.

Engine companies Nos. 3, 11, 23, 24, 29, 34, 50; hose companies Nos. 5, 11, 12, 19, 23, 24, 33, 35, 38, 40, 41, 55, 56; and hook and ladder companies Nos. 3 and 14, will attend all fires in the third and fourth districts.

Engine companies Nos. 6, 17, 19, 26, 32, 44; hose companies Nos. 4, 6, 9, 13, 16, 17, 22, 26, 31, 34, 36, 47; hook and ladder companies Nos. 5, 12 and 13, will attend all fires in the fifth and sixth districts.

Engine companies Nos. 2, 5, 13, 14, 16, 20, 21, 22, 38, 42; hose companies Nos. 1, 2, 3, 8, 10, 18, 20, 21, 25, 27, 28, 49, 50, 53, 60; hook and ladder companies Nos. 1 and 15, and hydrant company No 1, will attend all fires in the seventh and eighth districts.

Engine companies Nos. 8 and 41; hose company No. 15, and hook and ladder company No 4, will attend all fires in the sixth and seventh districts.

Engine company No. 9, and hose company No. 14, will attend all fires in the sixth and seventh districts.

Engine company No. 4, hose company No. 7, hook and ladder company No 6, and hydrant company No. 2, will attend all fires in the fourth and fifth districts.

Engine company No. 51, and hose company No. 29, will attend all fires in the first and fifth districts

Hose company No. 57, hook and ladder company No. 2, and hydrant company No. 3, will attend all fires in the second and third districts.

Hose company No. 54, will attend all fires in the third and eighth districts.

Engine company No. 40, will attend all fires in the fourth and eighth districts.

Hydrant company No. 4, will attend all fires in the first and sixth districts.

The Yorkville and Harsenville companies will not be required below Forty-second street.

The Harlem, Manhattanville and Carmansville companies will be under the direction of the engineer of that district.

Resolved, That hereafter, all hose companies shall carry not less than nine lengths of hose, and the Chief Engineer is hereby directed to notify all hose companies to comply with this resolution immediately after the passage thereof.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 5, 1855.

Adopted by the Board of Councilmen, June 5, 1855.

Approved by the Mayor, June 7, 1855.

Return of the Engine, Hose, Hook and Ladder and Hydrant Companies, their Apparatus, Places of Deposit, Condition, &c.

ENGINE COMPANIES.

Hudson engine No. 1—Located, 188 West Forty-seventh street; performs duty in the first and second districts House in good order; engine second class, piano style, 8 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition,

built in 1850, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 25, entitled to 50; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Excelsior engine No. 2—Located, 21 Henry street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order, engine second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1852, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 31, entitled to 50; 700 feet of hose, all of which is good.

National engine No 3—Located, 390 Bleecker street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House temporary; engine indifferent, third class, Carson style, 6½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke; present number of men 22, entitled to 40; 200 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Niagara engine No. 4—Located, 220 Mercer street; performs duty in the fourth and fifth districts. House in good order; engine second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1849, by James Smith; rebuilt 1852, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 34, entitled to 50; 600 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Protection engine No 5—Located, 61 Ann street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; engine third class, old New York style, 6½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, built in 1829, by H. M. Ludlum; rebuilt 1852, by James Smith, indifferent; present number of men 31, entitled to 40; 900 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Americus engine No 6—Located, 269 Henry street, near Gouverneur street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; engine first class, Carson style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1856; present number of men 59, entitled to 60; 700 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Lexington engine No. 7—Located in Twenty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; engine second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1849, by James Smith; present number of men 41, entitled to 50; 600 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Manhattan engine No. 8—Located, 91 Ludlow street; performs duty in the sixth and seventh districts House in good order; engine second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1846, by Rogers, Baltimore, Md.; present number of men 42, entitled to 50.

Marion engine No. 9—Located, 47 Marion street; performs duty in the fifth and seventh districts. House in good order; engine first class, double end brakes, alternate motion, four 9½ inch cylinders, 4 inch stroke, patent capstan, in good condition, built in 1855, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 31, entitled to 60; five hundred feet of hose, all of which is good.

United engine No. 10—Located in Eighty-second street, between Third and Fourth avenues. Performs duty above Forty-second street. House in good order; engine second class, double end brakes, alternate motion, four

8½ inch cylinders; 5 inch stroke, patent capstan, in good condition, built in 1855, by Messrs. Burnham, of Yorkville; present number of men 22, entitled to 50; four hundred feet of hose, all of which is good.

Oceanus engine No. 11—Located, 99 Wooster street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; engine second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built by Van Ness & Torboss, in 1853; present number of men 38, entitled to 50; 600 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Knickerbocker engine No. 12—Located in Fiftieth street, near Lexington avenue; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; engine third class, piano new style, four six inch cylinders, 5 inch stroke, patent capstan, built by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 14, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Eagle engine No. 13—Located, 5 Duane street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; engine third class, Carson style, 7 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, patent capstan, ordinary condition, built in 1850, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 16, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Columbia engine No. 14—Located, corner Church and Vesey streets; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; engine second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1847, by John Agnew, Philadelphia, Pa.; present number of men 56, entitled to 60; 650 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Chatham engine No. 15—Located in Ninth avenue, near Thirty-eighth street; performs duty in the first and second districts. House temporary; engine first class, end brakes, patent capstan, four 10 inch cylinders, 5 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1853, by John H. Sickels; present number of men 32, entitled to 50; 200 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Gotham engine No. 16—Located, 126 West Broadway; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts House is small, engine in ordinary condition, second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, built in 1847, by A. Van Ness; rebuilt by ditto, 1851; present number of men 38, entitled to 50; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

East river engine No. 17—Located, 38 Mangin street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; engine third class, Carson style, 7 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, patent capstan, in good condition, built in 1852, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 24, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Lafayette engine No. 19—Located, 199 Chrystie street, performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; engine second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke; in good condition, built in 1852, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 31, entitled to 50.

Washington engine No. 20—Located, 3 Temple street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order, but small; engine second class, crane neck piano style, 9½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, building by W. H. Torboss; present number of men 30, entitled to 40; 600 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Fulton Engine No. 21—Located in Worth street, near Broadway ; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order ; engine second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinder, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1851, by James Smith; present number of men 57, entitled to 50; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Protector engine No. 22—Located, corner Centre and Chambers streets; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; engine second class ; present number of men 22, entitled to 50 ; 350 feet of hose, all of which is good.

United States engine No. 23—Located, Twelfth street, near Broadway; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order ; engine first class, end brakes, patent capstan, four ten inch cylinders, 5 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1853, by John H. Sickels; present number of men 22, entitled to 60; 500 feet of hose, all of which is good,

Jackson engine No. 24—Located in Seventeenth street, near Ninth avenue; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; engine second class, piano new style, 8½ inch cylinders, 8 inch stroke, patent capstan, building by James Smith; present number of men 40, entitled to 50; 800 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Cataract Engine No. 25—Located 1006 Broadway; performs duty in the first and second districts House in good order; engine second class, piano style; 7 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1851, by Pine and Hartshorn; present number of men 18, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Jefferson Engine No. 26—Located 83 Fifth street, performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts House in good order; engine third class, piano style, four 7 inch cylinders, 5 inch stroke, in good condition; built in 1853, by J. H. Sickels, patent capstan ; present number of men 37, entitled to 40; 700 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Fort Washington engine No. 27—Located at Carmansville ; performs duty at Carmansville and vicinity. House building; engine third class, piano new style, four 7 inch cylinders, 4½ inch stroke, patent capstan, building by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 24, entitled to 40 ; 200 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Pacific engine No. 28—Located 377 Fourth avenue; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order, engine third class, crane neck piano style, 7½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1854, by James Smith; present number of men 27, entitled to 40 ; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Guardian engine No. 29—Located 14 Amos street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; engine second class, piano Carson style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, patent capstan, in good condition, built in 1854, by W. H. Torboss ; present number of men 43, entitled to 50; 600 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Bunker Hill engine No. 32—Located 101 Hester street; performs duty in

the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; engine third class, Carson style, 7 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1851, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 24, entitled to 40; 600 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Black Joke No. 33—Located in Fifty-eighth street, near Broadway; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; engine second class, end brakes, new style, four 8 inch cylinders, 5 inch stroke, with patent capstan, building by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 37, entitled to 50; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Howard engine No. 34—Located in Christopher near Hudson street, performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; engine second class, crane neck piano style, 8 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, rebuilding by James Smith; present number of men 29, entitled to 50; 500 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Columbus engine No. 35—Located on Third avenue, near One hundred and twenty-first street; performs duty in Harlem and vicinity. House in good order; engine third class, Carson style, 7 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, patent capstan, in good condition, built in 1852, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 23, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Equitable engine No. 36—Located in Sixty-eighth street, near Broadway, (Harsenville;) performs duty above Forty-second street. House in good order; engine third class, piano new style, four 7 inch cylinders, 5 inch stroke, patent capstan, building by J. H. Sickels; present number of men 12, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Tradesmen engine No. 37—Located in Fifty-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; engine second class, piano Carson style, 8 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, patent capstan, building by W. H. Torboss; present number of men 16, entitled to 50; 200 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Southwark engine No. 38—Located 28 Ann street, performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; engine first class, Philadelphia style, 9½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1842, by John Agnew, Philapelphia, Pa.; patent running gear, rebuilt in 1855, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 39, entitled to 60; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Franklin engine No. 39—Located in Thirty-first street, near Seventh avenue; performs duty in the first and second districts House building; engine building by John H. Sickels, third class, piano, four 7 inch cylinders, 5 inch stroke, patent capstan; present number of men 32, entitled to 40.

Lady Washington No. 40—Located in Elm street, near Broome; performs duty in the fourth and eighth districts. House in good order; engine first class, in good condition, built in 1856, by William H. Torboss, present number of men 36, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Clinton engine No. 41—Located in Delancey street, corner of Attorney street; performs duty in the sixth and seventh districts. House in good order; engine second class, piano Carson style, 8 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, patent capstan, in good condition, built in 1853, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 46, entitled to 50; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Empire engine No. 42—Located 2 Murray street, performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; engine second class, crane neck, piano style, 8½ inch cylinders, 8½ inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1851, by James Smith; present number of men 38, entitled to 50; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Manhattan engine No. 43—Located at Manhattanville; performs duty at Manhattanville, Harlem and vicinity. House in good order; engine third class, piano style, 7 inch cylinders, 8 inch stroke, in good condition, built in 1853, by James Smith; present number of men 27, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Live Oak engine No. 44—Located 92 Houston street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; engine second class, Philadelphia style, 8½ inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, in good condition; built in 1851, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 32, entitled to 50; 600 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Aurora engine No. 45—Located at Yorkville; performs duty above Forty-second street. House building; engine third class, piano new style, four 7 inch cylinders, 5½ inch stroke, patent capstan, in good condition, built in 1854, by W. H. Torboss; present number of men 21, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Mazeppa engine No. 48—Located in Twenty-fourth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; engine second class, new style, end brakes, four 8½ inch cylinders, 5 inch stroke, patent capstan, building by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 18, entitled to 50; 600 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Pocahontas engine No. 49—Located in One hundred and twenty-sixth street, between Third and Fourth avenues; performs duty in Harlem and vicinity. House in good order; engine third class, piano style, four 7 inch cylinders, 4½ inch stroke, patent capstan, in good condition, built in 1854, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 18, entitled to 40; 600 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Lone Star engine No. 50—Located 165 West Twentieth street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; engine third class, piano new style, four 7 inch cylinders, 5 inch stroke, patent capstan, building by James Smith; present number of men 27, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Mutual engine No. 51—Located in Twenty-second street, near First avenue; performs duty in the first and fifth districts. House ordinary; engine in good condition, old new York style, third class, 7 inch cylinders,

9 inch stroke, patent capstan, built in 1851, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 15, entitled to 40; 400 feet of hose, all of which is good.

HOSE COMPANIES.

Eagle hose No. 1—Located in Madison, near Pike street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1852, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 18, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, 600 feet of which is good.

Knickerbocker hose No. 2—Located 5 Duane street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage building by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 12, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 700 feet of which is good.

Independence hose No. 3—Located 211 Hester street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 17, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Marion hose No. 4—Located corner of Delancey and Attorney streets; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 25, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 300 feet of which is good.

New York hose No. 5—Located Fireman's Hall, Mercer street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1849, by Pine & Hartshorn; rebuilt in 1852, by J. H. Sickels; present number of men 23, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 250 feet of which is good.

Croton hose No. 6—Located 23½ Gouverneur street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order: carriage in good condition, built in 1852, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 21, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Ringgold hose No. 7—Located in Thirteenth street, near Fourth avenue: performs duty in the fourth and fifth districts. House in good order: carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by J. H. Sickels: present number of men 16, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

City hose No. 8—Located 74 Cedar street: performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order: carriage in good condition, built in 1853, by Pine & Hartshorn: present number of men 10, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Columbia hose No. 9—Located, 174 Mulberry street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 21, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Liberty hose No. 10—Located, 3 Dover street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by Jesse H. Ludlum; present number of men 14, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Gulick hose No. 11—Located, 14 Amos street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1846, by Woodruff, Newark; rebuilt in 1852, by J. H. Sickels; present number of men 20, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Washington hose No. 12—Located in Horatio street, near Hudson; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 15, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Jackson hose No. 13—Located, 34 Maugin street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1854, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 16, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 450 feet of which is good.

Atlantic hose No. 14—Located, 19 Elizabeth street; performs duty in the fifth and seventh districts. House in good order; carriage built by Jesse H. Ludlum; present number of men 20; entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Fulton hose No 15—Located, 1½ Eldridge street; performs duty in the sixth and seventh districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1853, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 18, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Tompkins hose No. 16—Located in Norfolk, near Houston street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by W. H. Torboss. present number of men 24, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Clinton hose No. 17—Located, corner of First avenue and Fifth street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage ordinary, built in 1853, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 11, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Franklin hose No. 18—Located, 28 Beaver street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts House in good order; carriage ordinary, built in 1850, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 19, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 706 feet of which is good.

American hose No. 19—Located, 52 Greene street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by J. H. Sickels; present number of men 18, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, 450 feet of which is good.

Humane hose No. 20—Located, 20 Ann street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts House indifferent and small; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by J. H. Sickels; present number of men 11, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Hudson hose No. 21—Located, 304 Washington street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1853, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 18, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, 550 feet of which is good.

Phœnix hose No 22—Located, 101 Hester street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition,

built in 1849, by A. Van Ness; rebuilt in 1855, by W. H. Torboss; present number of men 21, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Perry hose No. 23—Located in Horatio, between Hudson and Fourth streets; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House ordinary; carriage in good condition, built in 1849, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 11, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

National hose No. 24—Located, 315 Spring street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House ordinary; two wheeled carriage, in good condition, built in 1854, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 20, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 700 feet of which is good.

United States hose No. 25—Located, in Worth street, near Broadway; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage built by J. H. Sickels; present number of men 12, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, 600 feet of which is good.

Rutgers hose No. 26—Located, 6 Norfolk street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 22, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 600 feet of which is good.

Neptune hose No. 27—Located, 106 Reade street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage ordinary, built in 1849, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 11, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Pearl hose No. 28—Located, corner of Chambers and Centre streets; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1852, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 21, entitled to 25; 450 feet of leather and 1,000 feet of hemp hose, all of which is good

Metamora hose No. 29—Located in Nineteenth street, west of Third avenue; performs duty in the first and fifth districts. Temporary house; carriage ordinary, built in 1849, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 13, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Laurel hose No. 30—Located in Twenty-seventh street, near Ninth avenue; performs duty in the first and second districts. House ordinary; carriage ordinary, built in 1849, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 24, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 600 feet of which is good.

Putnam hose No. 21—Located, 7 Jackson street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage built by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 12, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Index hose No. 32—Located corner Forty-eighth street and Eighth avenue; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; old two wheel carriage, built in 1846, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 16, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Warren hose No. 33—Located, 118 Sullivan street; performs duty in the

third and fourth districts. House in good order; carriage built by Jesse H. Ludlum; present number of men 15, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Star hose No. 34—Located, 439 Tenth street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts; house indifferent; carriage ordinary, built in 1850, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 10, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 700 feet of which is good.

Baltic hose No. 35—Located, 199 Mercer street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1854, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 18, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 600 feet of which is good.

Oceana hose No. 36—Located, 205 Madison street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition; built in 1848, by A. Van Ness; present number of men 20, entitled to 25, 1,060 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Madison hose No. 37—Located in Broadway, near Twenty-sixth street; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1849, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 13, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Amity hose No. 38—Located, 132 Amity street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 19, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 600 feet of which is good.

Metropolitan hose No. 39—Located 346 Third avenue; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by J. H. Ludlum; present number of men 14, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Empire hose No. 40—Located 70 Barrow street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1851, by J. H. Sickels; present number of men 23, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 600 feet of which is good.

Alert hose No. 41—Located 67 Watts street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. Carriage in good condition, built in 1854, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 20, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Mazeppa hose No. 42—Located, 286 West Thirty-third street; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 21, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 600 feet of which is good.

Pioneer hose No 43—Located on Third avenue and One hundred and twenty-first street; performs duty in Harlem and vicinity. House in good order; carriage in good condition; built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 16, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, all of which is good.



Lith. by G. Hayward, 120 Water St. N. Y. for D. T. Valentine's Manual, for 1857.

OLD STYLE TILED ROOFED HOUSE.

Depeyster St. and Water St. N. Y.

Washington hose No. 44—Located in Thirty-first street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn: present number of men 17, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Red Jacket hose No. 45—Located in Thirty-third street, near Third avenue; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 12, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Valley Forge hose No. 46—Located 185 West Thirty-seventh street; performs duty in the first and second districts. House temporary; carriage ordinary, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 18, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 600 feet of which is good.

Mechanics' hose No. 47—Located in Fourth street, between Avenue D and Lewis street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; carriage ordinary, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 20, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Americus hose No. 48—Located in Eighty-fifth street, near Third avenue; performs duty above Forty-second street. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 15, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Lady Washington hose No. 49—Located 126 Cedar street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1852, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 14, entitled to 25; 800 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Hope hose No. 50—Located 10½ Mott street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1854, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 15, entitled to 25; 850 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Relief hose No. 51—Located in Fiftieth street and Lexington avenue; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order, carriage in good condition, built in 1854, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 12, entitled to 25; 1,000 feet of hose, 500 feet of which is good.

Undine hose N. 52—Located in One hundred and twenty-second street, near Third avenue; performs duty in Harlem and vicinity. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1852, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 13, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Naiad hose No. 53—Located, 179 Church street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1853, by J. Sickels; present number of men 17, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Eureka hose No. 54—Located, 153 Franklin street; performs duty in the

third and eighth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built in 1853, by W. H. Torboss; present number of men 24, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Harry Howard hose No. 55—Located in Christopher, near Hudson street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; carriage in good condition, built by J. H. Sickels; present number of men 16, entitled to 25; 700 feet of hose, 400 feet of which is good.

Paulding hose No. 57—Located in Eighteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; performs duty in the second and third districts. House temporary; carriage indifferent, built in 1844, by T. Shepherd; present number of men 13, entitled to 25; 900 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Merchant hose No. 58—Located in Burling slip; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House temporary; carriage ordinary, built in 1849, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 22, entitled to 25; 450 feet of hose, none of which is good.

M. T. Brennan hose No. 60—Located, corner of Leonard and Elm streets; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House temporary; carriage in good condition, built in 1855, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 16, entitled to 25; 550 feet of hose, all of which is good.

Hose company No. 61—Authorized to be organized by resolution of Common Council, August 15, 1856; J. H. Whitney and associates.

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANIES.

Mutual hook and ladder No. 1—Located in Chambers, corner of Centre street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; truck in good condition, built in 1848; rebuilt in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 15, entitled to 40.

Chelsea hook and ladder No. 2—Located in Twenty-fourth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; performs duty in the second and third districts. House in good order; truck in good condition, built in 1852, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 32, entitled to 40.

Phœnix hook and ladder No. 3—Located, 132 Amity street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House in good order; truck in good condition, built by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 23, entitled to 40.

Eagle hook and ladder No. 4—Located, 20½ Eldridge street; performs duty in the sixth and seventh districts. House in good order, truck in good condition, built by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 17, entitled to 40.

Union hook and ladder No. 5—Located, 91 Ludlow street; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House in good order; truck in good condition, built in 1852, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 22, entitled to 40.

Lafayette hook and ladder No. 6—Located, Firemen's Hall, Mercer street; performs duty in the fourth and fifth districts. House in good order; truck in good condition, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 24, entitled to 40.

Mechanics' hook and ladder No. 7—Located in One hundred and twenty-sixth street, between Third and Fourth avenues; performs duty in Harlem and vicinity. House ordinary; truck indifferent; present number of men 8, entitled to 40.

Empire hook and ladder No. 8—Located, corner of Eighth avenue and Forty-eighth street; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; truck in good condition, built in 1851, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 30, entitled to 40.

Washington hook and ladder No. 9—Located, 337 Fourth avenue; performs duty in the first and second districts. House in good order; truck in good condition, built in 1854, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 13, entitled to 40.

Naraganset hook and ladder No. 10—Located at Yorkville; performs duty above Forty-second street. House in good order; truck in good condition, built in 1848, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 23, entitled to 40.

Friendship hook and ladder No. 11—Located in Fifth street, near Second avenue; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. House ordinary; truck temporary; present number of men 29, entitled to 40.

Marion hook and ladder No 13—Located in Third street, near Lewis; performs duty in the fifth and sixth districts. Truck in good condition, built in 1855, by W. H. Torboss; present number of men 35, entitled to 40.

Columbian hook and ladder No. 14—Located, 697 Greenwich street; performs duty in the third and fourth districts. House and truck both temporary; present number of men 32, entitled to 40.

Baxter hook and ladder No. 15—Located in Franklin, near Hudson street; performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. House in good order; truck in good condition, built in 1853, by Pine & Hartshorn; present number of men 21, entitled to 40.

☞The hook and ladder trucks are all supplied with the necessary ladders, hooks, axes, picks, lanterns, &c.

HYDRANT COMPANIES.

Hydrant company No. 1—Performs duty in the seventh and eighth districts. Present number of men 9.

Hydrant company No. 2—Performs duty in the fourth and fifth districts. Present number of men 8.

Hydrant company No. 3—Performs duty in the second and third districts. Present number of men 6.

Hydrant company No. 4—Performs duty in the first and sixth districts. Present number of men 10

Exempt engine company—Located, 202 Centre street. House in good order; engine, formerly No. 42, double brake, piano style, 10 inch cylinders, 9 inch stroke, built in 1842, by Henry Waterman, Hudson, New York; rebuilt in 1850, by Pine & Hartshorn.

This company was organized by the Common Council, December 27th, 1851, as a reserved corps, composed exclusively of exempt members of the department, and performs duty only in case of a general alarm of fire, or when directed by the engineers.

FIRE COMMISSIONERS.

Edward Brown, *President*.....489 Houston street.
Benj. Cartwright.....211 Clinton street.
Wm. Wright.....270 West 22d street.
Wm. A. Freeborn.....238 Madison street.
Andrew Craft.....186 Delancey street.
Wm. M. Randell, *Clerk*.....77 East 31st street.

The above Commission was authorized in pursuance of the act of the Legislature, passed March 29th, 1855, which specifically defines their powers and duties.

ASSOCIATION OF EXEMPT FIREMEN.

This association is composed of persons who have served the time prescribed by law, in the New York Fire Department. They meet on the third Tuesday of January, April, July and October, at Firemen's Hall, Mercer street, between Prince and Houston.

Officers for 1856.

Philip W. Engs, *President*.....131 Front; h., 70 West 14th street.
Zophar Mills, *1st Vice-President*....144 Front; h., 207 Madison street.
A. Ockershausen, *Recording Secretary* 21 Elizabeth st.; h., 78 Essex street.
F. Hagadorn, *Financial Secretary* ..59 Barclay st.; h., Williamsburgh.
Joseph M. Price, *Treasurer*.....Oriental Bank.
David Theall, *Sergeant-at-arms* 30 Amos street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.

Trustees' Report, 1856.

The Trustees of the Fire Department Fund respectfully report: That, during the past year, nothing remarkable has occurred, beyond the ordinary operations of the Board, to direct especial attention to, except the fact that the amount of moneys received by the Treasurer from all sources, for the year now drawing to a close, although in the aggregate larger than

in any previous year, has been met by correspondingly heavy expenditures. The total amount disbursed by the Trustees in the performance of their duties—such as in the purchase of shoes, coal, funeral expenses, payment of doctors' bills for medical attendance, widows' pensions, &c.—reached the sum of twenty-four thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars and one cent.

The Treasurer had remaining in his hands last year, a balance of thirty-eight dollars and forty-five cents, since which time he has received, from various sources, the sum of thirty-four thousand and ninety-four dollars and ninety cents, which, in the aggregate, amounts to thirty-four thousand one hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-five cents; out of which there has been expended the sum of twenty-four thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars and one cent—reinvested seven thousand dollars: leaving a balance, deposited in the Butchers' and Drovers' Bank, to the credit of the Fire Department Fund, of two thousand two hundred and thirteen dollars and thirty-four cents. The Permanent Fund (including Trust and Special Trust Funds) now amounts to ninety-three thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars, invested as follows: Ninety-three thousand five hundred dollars on bond and mortgage, and two hundred and fifty dollars in Manhattan Bank stock.

It is well known to you that the interest derived from the Permanent Fund is only about six thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and that, in order to meet all the demands upon the Treasury, it requires great exertions on the part of the Trustees to devise ways and means to raise a sufficient amount to cover the actual and necessary disbursements. The sum of money paid to the widows on the Pension List is over seven thousand two hundred dollars a year; while the payments for the purchase of shoes and coal are about four thousand dollars more. And with the fact before us, that the income derived from the Permanent Fund is entirely inadequate to cover these two items alone, it has caused the Trustees to be apprehensive that, owing to the constantly increasing number of applicants for aid, at no distant period, if the demands upon the Treasury increase in the same ratio as in the last two years, the Trustees will be compelled to break in upon the Permanent Fund, unless sustained by the continued liberality of this generous-hearted community, which has so often and so nobly stretched forth its right hand to aid our institution, as in the calamitous year of 1835, when a large portion of our funds was lost in the ruin which at that time overtook many of the Fire Insurance Companies of this city.

By reference to the accompanying report of our esteemed friend, the Treasurer, it will be observed that the Department is under increased obligations to the Firemen's Ball Committee, for the exertions they put forth in behalf of the Fund—having realized from their last annual ball, at the Academy of Music, the handsome sum of four thousand nine hundred and fifty-five dollars and sixty-nine cents. To William Niblo, Esq., and

the Ravel Family, the thanks of the Department are due for a benefit at Niblo's Garden—the proceeds of which were duly paid over to the Treasurer, by Zophar Mills, Esq. Donations have been received from Messrs. Phelps, Dodge & Co., Singer & Co., Mrs. Agnes Stuart, Gabriel Mead, and the Sixth Avenue Railroad Company; all of which have been publicly acknowledged in appropriate terms, over the signature of the Treasurer.

The School Committee report, that the Van Schaick scholarships in the University are both filled. The Committee also state, that, since their last annual report, they have distributed among the various boneficiaries, sixteen hundred and seventy-eight pairs of shoes—being a much larger number than ever before given out; but when the unusual severity of the past winter is taken into consideration, the excess is readily accounted for.

The Special Committee on Donations report, that the different city Fire Insurance Companies most promptly responded to the solicitations of the committee, in contributing with their accustomed liberality; while the Foreign Insurance Companies, doing business here, with but three exceptions only, have fully complied with the requirements of the act of the Legislature, in paying over to the treasurer the tax imposed upon them to sustain our charity. The three exceptions alluded to, and to which your attention has been repeatedly called, are the agents of the following companies, viz:—Alfred Pell, the British agent of two English Insurance companies—the one located in London, and the other in Liverpool. Asa Bigelow is another, and is the agent of the following companies, viz:—Merchants' Fire Insurance Company, Manufacturers' Fire Insurance Company, American Fire Insurance Company, and Boylston Fire Insusance Company; all of Boston. He is also the agent of the Washington Fire Insurance Company, American Fire Insurance Company, and Merchants' Insurance Company; all of Providence, R. I.

Mr. James Wright, the agent of several fire insurance companies, has also failed to comply with the law. Against all of these defaulting agents, suits at law have been commenced, in some of which decisions have been given in favor of the Department; but the parties to the same have appealed, and the subject is now before the last court of resort, where an early decision is confidently expected in our favor. The Trustees deem it to be their duty thus publicly to present to you the names of the defaulting agents who persist in their refusal to comply with the law. Their conduct is in striking contrast to the other agents, who have faithfully complied with the act.

The Committee on Shoes and Coal have made the usual contracts for the ensuing year. The contract of the former stipulates to supply two thousand pairs of shoes; and the latter for the delivery, in all parts of the city, of three hundred tons of coal, and upward

The Committee on Finance have reinvested, for bonds and mortgages canceled, the several sums paid to the Treasurer, which will be observed by reference to his report. The whole amount of the Permanent Fund is

loaned on unincumbered and improved property, worth double the amount loaned, except two hundred and fifty dollars in Manhattan Bank stock, as stated by the Treasurer.

The Committee on Fines and Penalties report progress in the various suits at law, for violations of Fire Laws, instituted by direction of this Board, for the erection of dangerous buildings, &c., &c.

The Fire Commissioners, as you are aware of, continue to perform the voluntary and onerous duties imposed upon them by their position, in hearing and disposing of the causes of difference from time to time brought to their notice; and while there may be cases of apparent hardship resulting from their decisions, it is, notwithstanding, the duty of all good firemen to acquiesce in the will of a Board of their own voluntary selection, composed of old associates, whose sole desire is to maintain the respectability of the Department, promote its welfare, and restore harmony and good-fellowship among its members. The Trustees, in this connection, take pleasure in bearing their testimony to the present admirable condition of the Department. Its discipline and efficiency were never more apparent; whilst the zeal, activity and good order displayed by the different companies, command the respect and confidence of the entire community.

In view of all the circumstances hereinbefore stated, the Trustees would most respectfully urge upon all the members of the Department the cultivation of a spirit of harmony and good feeling toward each other; and although the exercise of a proper degree of rivalry and emulation is commendable in itself, still, when carried to excess, it too often engenders angry altercations, leading to tumult and disorder. The quiet and orderly performance of all our duties will the best subserve the interest of the Department, and be the means of preserving and perpetuating this great and inestimable charity, the good of which, we all have so much at heart.

Among the daily papers, the Sun and Herald have given liberal donations; while the press, generally, have made large deductions on their bills for printing, &c.

The terms of service of Adam P. Pentz, Peter H. Titus and Jonas N. Phillips, will expire at the Annual Meeting. It is, therefore, requisite to elect three Trustees for three years each.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

By order of the Board of Trustees,

JAMES PRYER, *President.*

ALBERT J. DELATOUR, *Secretary.*

New York, December 1, 1856.

Schedule, showing the Number of Fires and Alarms in each District, and the Amount of Loss.

MONTHS.	First.		Second.		Third.		Fourth.		Fifth.		Sixth.		Seventh.		Eighth.		LOSS ON BUILDINGS.	LOSS ON STOCK.
	Fires.	Alarms.	Fires.	Alarms.	Fires.	Alarms.	Fires.	Alarms.	Fires.	Alarms.	Fires.	Alarms.	Fires.	Alarms.	Fires.	Alarms.		
1855.																		
August	2		5		3	3	6	2	3	2	2	3	3	5	3		$5,730	$8,615
September	2	1	3	1	1		1		3		2	2	1	6	3	2	4,102	5,075
October	1		3		2	2	1	1	1	1	7		3	2	1		19,310	26,225
November	1		5		6		2		1	1	10		6	2	1		2,285	15,230
December	3	1	2		5		4	1	4	3	8		9	4	8		40,862	78,320
1856.																		
January	2	1	3		2	1	3		7	3	1		9	2	4		6,740	22,178
February	3		4		4	1	2	1	7		6	2	6	1		2	23,262	81,975
March	1	1	2	1	9	2	1	1	9	3	8	2	2	3	6	2	14,930	77,675
April	5		2		5	2	7	3	1	2	5	2	5	3	5		14,315	44,935
May	5				3	1	2		4		3	3	3	2	2	1	9,870	41,636
June	2	1	2		3	1		1	2	1	1	1	4	1	1	3	1,640	1,495
July	5	2	9		9	1	3		5	1	1	2	10	1	2		41,875	43,750
TOTAL	32	7	40	2	52	14	32	10	47	17	54	17	61	32	36	10	$184,921	$447,109

Total Number of Fires for the year ending July 31st, 1856 354
" " of Alarms, from spirit lamps, gas explosions, &c..... 109

Total Amount of Loss by Fire..... $632,030

PERSONS APPOINTED BELL RINGERS AT THE SEVERAL DISTRICT FIRE ALARM BELLS (EXEMPT FIREMEN)

In pursuance of Ordinance of Common Council, approved October 15th, 1853.

City Hall Cupola.

George Bevins. Wm. F. Crumwell.

Jno. R. Hopper.

Essex Market Cupola.

Wm. A. Waterbury. —— Hempstead.

Wm. B. Belch.

Jefferson Market Cupola.

Wm. Y. Taft. Abm. D. Carlock.

John W. Stinman.

Union Market Cupola.

Charles Parks. Griffith Griffiths.

Thomas Megsore.

Bell Tower in Twenty-second Street.

John A. Foreman. P. H. Waters.

W. W. Tinkler.

Bell Tower in Thirty-third Street.

Samuel H. Waugh. John H. Sleight.

Daniel Curry.

Bell Tower in Macdougal Street.

Napoleon Hayman. John Clements.

George Wiebelt.

Bell Tower in One hundred and ninth Street.

Simon Pabor. Christian Seaman.

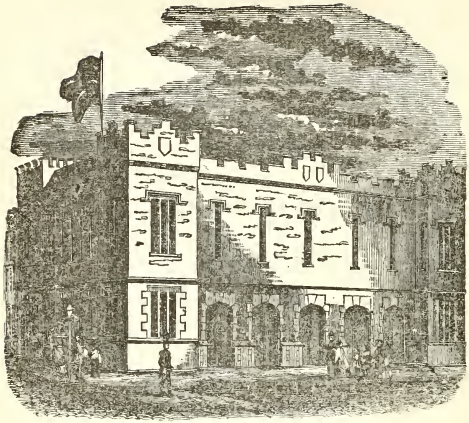
Wm. H. Ackerman.

Bell Tower in Marion Street.

David Fenton. Charles Bauleh.

John W. Garside.

Total Number.....27



THE NEW ARMORY, OR DOWN-TOWN ARSENAL.

This edifice is situated on the corner of White and Elm streets It is one hundred and thirty-one feet on White street, and eighty-four feet on Elm street. It is built of blue stone, only two stories high, the first being thirteen feet, and the second thirty feet high. The windows are very narrow, being only eighteen inches wide, so that in case of an assault by a mob outside, the building could be defended with success by fifty men. The first floor is used as a gun room and meeting room, the second as a drill room, and a rendezvous in case of a riot. The style is Gothic, and on the three corners of the building are situated towers; there are five doors on White street, and one on Elm, which are made of boiler iron It is built on piles driven into the ground. This building is used as a receptacle for a portion of the artillery of the first division of the New York State Militia. It is a very handsome building, and is constructed on the very best plan for defence. On the centre of the roof will be erected a large flag-staff, by which communication from this building and the arsenal up-town may be carried on by signal telegraph.

NEW YORK CITIZEN SOLDIERY.

FIRST DIVISION NEW YORK STATE MILITIA.

CHARLES W. SANDFORD, *Major General Commanding.*

FIRST BRIGADE.

Commanded by Brigadier General CHAS. B. SPICER.

	Men.
First Regiment, Colonel Ryer	279
Second Regiment, Colonel Bogart	519
Third Regiment, Colonel Postley	635
Seventy-first Regiment, Colonel Vosburgh	391
Seventy-third Regiment, (on Staten Island), Colonel Osgood	267
Veteran Corps Artillery, Captain Richard Raynor	81

SECOND BRIGADE.

Commanded by Brigadier General CHAS. YATES.

Fourth Regiment, Colonel Hincken	308
Fifth Regiment, Colonel Schwarswaelder	567
Sixth Regiment, Colonel Pinckney	302
Seventy-fifth Regiment, Lieutenant Colonel Haggerty	200

THIRD BRIGADE.

Commanded by Brigadier General WM. HALL.

Seventh Regiment, Colonel Duryee	643
Eighth Regiment, Colonel Lyons	400
Ninth Regiment, Colonel Pitkin	600
Fifty-fifth Regiment, Major Le Gal	240

FOURTH BRIGADE.

Commanded by Brigadier General JOHN EWEN.

Tenth Regiment, Colonel Halsey	290
Eleventh Regiment, Colonel Van Buren	508
Twelfth Regiment, Colonel R. French	667
Sixty-ninth Regiment, Colonel J. J. Ryan	329
Total	7226
Infantry	4346
Cavalry	1291
Artillery	1589
Total	7226

FINANCIAL TABLES.

Expenditures and Receipts of City Government, including Trust Accounts, from January 1st to December 31st, 1856.

HEADS OF ACCOUNT.	EXPENDITURES.	RECEIPTS.
Alms-house	$925,000 00	
Aqueduct Repairs and Improvements	26,889 31	
Blasting Diamond Reef	15,000 00	
Building Court House, Third District	27,000 00	
Board of Health	8,940 45	$926 10
City Inspector's Department	8,852 99	
Coroner's Fees	18,000 00	
Cleaning Corporation Docks and Slips	5,998 25	
County Contingencies	69,967 85	4 00
Contingent Expenses, Common Council	43,245 91	
Cleaning Streets	258,975 56	10,502 83
Donations	9,999 94	
Docks and Slips, New Work	82,069 73	4,790 79
Docks and Slips, Repairs	19,911 25	
Election Expenses	19,989 27	
Errors and Delinquencies	3,431 21	39 63
Fire Department	75,648 77	1,641 00
Grooving Broadway	20 62	
Grading Tenth avenue	140 00	
Interest on Revenue Bonds	305,872 41	47 95
Interest on Assessment Bonds	51,361 50	
Intestate Estates	1,489 51	11,462 44
Lamps and Gas	396,367 00	
Lands and Places	16,500 00	
Markets	6,988 00	
Officers' Fees	28,988 65	
Police	$28,244 38	
Police and Fire Telegraph	4,998 50	
Paving Bowery and Chatham street	33,305 07	
Printing	84,632 90	3,010 20
Repairs to Public Build'gs, Repairs & Suppl's	104,787 69	
Repairing County Jail	4,312 78	
Rents	20,535 66	
Real Estate	24,039 76	
Roads and Avenues	53,780 79	
Real Estate Expenses	21,667 27	7,500 00
Stationery	17,991 62	
Street Expenses and Paving	59,907 59	
Sunken Vessels, Removing	248 00	
Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning	20,765 94	
Salaries	394,281 67	
Station-houses	6,953 00	
Statistical Tables, Croton Aque. Department	1,500 00	
Surgical Department of Police	4,995 41	
Ward Maps and Surveying	7,219 78	
Carried forward	$4,068,315 79	$39,724 94

HEADS OF ACCOUNT.	EXPENDITURES.	RECEIPTS.
Brought forward	$4,068,315 79	$39,724 94
Water Pipes and Laying	120,652 15	1,177 13
Wells and Pumps, Repairs, &c.	2 655 82	
Arrearages for 1855	346.301 96	
Paid by County Treas'r by order of Supr. C't.	6,054 38	
Asylum for Idiots	120 00	
Building Loan Stock, No. 2	50,000 00	
Charges on Arrears of Taxes	84 00	53 05
Charges on Ar's of Assess'ts for Bur'u of Ar's	1,832 50	30 00
Liens on Lots	1,851 78	5,350 59
County Clerk's Office	23,259 54	13,809 02
Court of Common Pleas	1,339 60	6,845 15
Croton Aqueduct Departm't, for Sewers, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Board,	169,889 41	111,801 47
Croton Aqueduct Extension and Construction	46,143 50	
Common Schools for State	214,257 92	88,140 93
Common Schools for City	89 8.351 96	
Fencing Vacant Lots	3.201 20	3,217 65
Interest on Assessments	118 78	60,981 12
New York Juvenile Asylum	36.375 38	
Refunded on Assessment Sales	7,336 57	47,351 47
Refunded on Tax Sales	28 85	94 30
Surrogate's Office	13,559 08	14,952 12
Superior Court	6,660 00	9 396 00
Society for the Reforma'n of Juvenile Delinq.	8,000 00	
Streets, Opening	615,227 08	604,253 64
Streets, Paving	280,805 17	383,160 96
State Mill Tax	608 826 05	30,000 00
Redemption of Revenue Bonds of 1855	3,400.600 00	
Redemption of Revenue Bonds of 1856	3,701,010 00	7,922,175 00
Redemption of Assessment Bonds of 1855	900,000 00	
Redemption of Assessment Bonds of 1856	101.000 00	457,600 00
Wells and Pumps, (new)	150 00	215 54
Battery Enlargement	386 83	
Judgments	75,915 28	
Belgian Pavement	3.636 40	
Invested to Redeem Public Education Stock	24,805 94	
Commissioners of Records	150,000 00	
Institution for the Blind	1,080 00	
Institution for the Deaf and Dumb	1.980 00	
Central Park Rents	1,809 50	1.809 50
Central Park	1,242,807 29	634,742 90
New Reservoir	10,322 64	
Central Park Assessment Fund Stock		514,746 25
Central Park Fund Stock		328,293 75
Taxes of 1856		5,775,456 75
Taxes of 1855, and previous years		605,038 85
Commutation of Taxes		2.470 89
Interest on Taxes		75,456 65
Sewer Connections		24,122 00
TOTALS	$17,228,724 75	17,762,667 62

Appropriations, Expenditures and Receipts of City Government, from January 1st to December 31st, 1856.

HEADS OF ACCOUNTS.	APPROPRIATIONS.	EXPENDITURES.	RECEIPTS.
Alms-house	$925,000 00	$925,000 00	
Aqueduct Repairs & Improve.	35,000 00	26,889 31	
Blasting Diamond Reef	35 000 00	15,000 00	
Building Court-house, 3d Dist	30,000 00	27,000 00	
Board of Health	5,000 00	8,940 45	926 10
Board of Health Deficiencies	35,000 00		
City Inspector's Department	8,315 00	8,352 99	
Coroners' Fees	18,000 00	18,000 00	
Clean'g Cor'n Docks & Slips	6,000 00	5,998 25	
County Contingencies	70,000 00	69,967 85	4 00
Com. Council, Pay of Memb's	36,000 00	43,245 91	
Contingent Exp. C. Council	7,500 00		
Cleaning Streets	259,224 00	258,975 36	10,502 83
Donations and Claims	10,000 00	9,999 94	
Docks and Slips, (new work)	50,000 00	82,069 73	4,790 79
Do. at 130th street, N. R.	50,000 00		
Docks and Slips, (repairs)	20,000 00	19,911 25	
Election Expenses	20,000 00	19,989 27	
Errors and Delinquencies	5,000 00	3,431 21	39 63
Fire Department, Ch'f Eng'r.	81,000 00	75,648 77	1,641 00
Grooving Broadway	50,000 00	20 62	
Grading 10th Av. under con't.	18,000 00	140 00	
Interest on Revenue Bonds	220,000 00	357,233 91	47 95
Interest on Assessment Bonds.	60,000 00		
Intestate Estates	3,000 00	1,489 51	11,462 44
Lamps and Gas	396,367 00	396,367 00	
Lands and Places	16,500 00	16,500 00	
Markets	7, 00 00	6,988 00	
Monument to Maj.Gen.Worth.	23,500 00		
Mayoralty	150 00		
Officers' Fees	20,000 00	28,988 65	
Police	828,500 00	828,244 38	
Police and Fire Telegraph	5,000 00	4,998 50	
Paving Bowery & Chatham st.	75,000 00	33,305 07	
Printing	85,000 00	84,632 90	3,010 20
Repairs to Public Buildings	75,000 00	104,787 69	
Buildings for Fire Departm't.			
Repairs and Supplies for 1856.	10,000 00		
" " arrearages	40,000 00		
Repairing County Jail	5,000 00	4,312 78	
Rents	20,000 00	20,535 66	
Real Estate	25,000 00	24,039 76	
Roads and Avenues	50,000 00	53,780 79	
Real Estate Expenses	50,000 00	21,667 27	7,500 00
Stationery	18,000 00	17,991 62	
Street Expenses and Paving	60,000 00	59,907 59	
Sunken Vessels, Removing	2,000 00	248 00	
Sewers, Repair'g and Clean'g.	24,000 00	20,765 94	
Salaries	369,200 00	394,281 67	
Station-houses	25,000 00	6,953 00	
Statistical Tables, Cr.Aq.Dep.	1,500 00	1,500 00	
Surgical Department of Police	5,000 00	4,995 41	
W'd Maps & Surv'g, Tax Com.	10,000 00	7,219 77	
Water Pipes and Laying	165,700 00	120,652 15	1,177 13
Wells and Pumps	2,000 00	2,655 82	
Arrearages for 1855	415,932 83	346,301 96	
Totals	$4,887,988 83	$4,589,925 72	$41,102 70

Appropriations, Expenditures and Receipts on Trust and Special Accounts from January 1st to December 31st, 1856.

HEADS OF ACCOUNT.	APPROPRIATIONS.	EXPENDITURES.	RECEIPTS.
Asylum for Idiots	$120 00	$120 00	
Building Loan Stock No. 2	50,000 00	50,000 00	
Charges on Arrears of Taxes	5,000 00	84 09	$53 05
Charges on Arrears of Assessments, Bureau of Arrears	5,000 00	1,832 50	30 00
Liens on Lots	5,000 00	1,851 78	5,350 59
County Clerk's Office	21,350 00	23,259 51	13,809 02
Court of Common Pleas	7,000 00	1,339 60	6,845 15
Croton Aqueduct Department for Sewers, under the direction of Croton Aque. Board	388,650 00	169,889 41	111,801 47
Croton Aque. Exten. & Const.	113,000 00	46,143 50	
Croton Aque. Dep. New Rese.	50,000 00		
Croton Aqueduct Department for Raising Mains in 3d av and Reg. Mains in 5th av	58,000 00		
Common Schools for State	271,639 40	214,257 92	88,140 93
Common Schools for City	898,354 36	898,354 36	
Fencing Vacant Lots	2,000 00	3,201 20	3,217 65
Interest on Assessments	20,000 00	118 78	60,981 12
New York Juvenile Asylum	40,000 00	36,375 38	
Refunded on Assessment Sales	25,000 00	7,336 57	47,351 47
Refunded on Tax Sales	5,000 00	28 85	94 30
Surrogate's Office	12,000 00	13,559 08	14,952 12
Superior Court	6,600 00	6,600 00	9,396 00
Society for Ref. of Juv. Delin.	8,000 00	8,000 00	
Streets, Opening	818,544 55	645,227 08	604,253 64
Streets, Paving	497,700 00	280,805 17	383,160 96
State Mill Tax	608,747 84	608,826 05	30,000 00
Redemp. of Rev. Bonds of 1855	3,600,600 00	3,400,600 00	
Revenue Bonds of 1856	1,500,000 00	3,701,010 00	7,922,175 00
Redem. of Assess't Bds. of 1855	900,000 00	900,000 00	
Assessment Bonds of 1856	300,000 00	101,000 00	457,600 00
Wells and Pumps	2,000 00	150 00	215 54
Battery Enlargement		386 83	
Judgments		75,915 28	
Belgian Pavement		3,636 40	
Redemption of Public Educat. Stock. Amount Invested		24,805 94	
Commissioners of Records		150,000 00	
Institution for the Blind		1,080 00	
Institution for Deaf and Dumb		1,980 00	
Rents received from Central Park, transf'd to Sink. Fund		1,809 50	1,809 50
Central Park		1,242,837 29	634,742 90
New Reservoir		10,322 64	
Paid by County Treas. by order of Supreme Court		6,054 38	
		$12,638,799 03	10,395,980 41

Permanent City Debt, redeemable from the Sinking Fund, January 1st 1857.

5	per cent. Water Stock, redeemable	January	1, 1858.....	$3,000,000 00
5	" " " "	January	1, 1860.....	2,500,000 00
5	" " " "	November	1, 1870.....	3,000,000 00
5	" " " "	July	12, 1875.....	255,600 00
5	" " "*New Reser'r.*"	October	1, 1875.....	29,100 00
5	" " " redeemable	November	1, 1880.....	2,147,000 00
5 & 6	" Croton Water Stock, "	February	1, 1890.....	1,000,000 00
7	" Water Loan " No. 3"	February	1, 1857.....	990,488 00
5	" Fire Indemnity " "	May	10, 1868.....	402,768 00
5	" Building Loan "No. 3 "	November	1, 1870.....	75,000 00
5	" " " "No. 4 "	November	1, 1873.....	115,000 00
5	" Central Park Fund " "	July	1, 1898.....	715,200 00
	Total Amount, January 1st, 1857			$14,230,156 00
	LESS			
	Amount of Corporation Stocks held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, on account of the Redemption of City Debt..		$4,525,478 00	
	Revenue and Assessment Bonds.....		417,000 00	
	Bonds and mortgages taken on sales of real estate.....		925,716 29	5,868,194 29
	Actual amount of Permanent Debt, January 1, 1857.....			$8,361,961 71

Which is a decrease of $44,210 35, as compared with the amount of Debt, January 1st, 1856.

Funded Debt of the City, redeemable from Taxation, January 1st 1857.

5	per cent. Public Building Stock, No. 3, payable,	Nov. 1,	1857	$50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1858	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1859	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1860	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1861	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1862	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1863	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1864	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1865	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1866	50,000
5	" Stocks for Docks and Slips, payable	"	1867	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1868	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1869	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1870	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1871	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1872	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1873	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1874	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1875	50,000
5	" " " " " "	"	1876	50,000
5	" Public Education Stock, payable	May 1,	1873	154,000
	Total amount payable from taxation, January 1st, 1857			$1,154,000

Funded Debt redeemable from Central Park Assessments, January 1st, 1857.

6 per cent. Central Park Assessment Fund Stock, payable February 5th 1859	$1,600,000
Total amount of Central Park Assessment Fund Stock.	$1,600,000

A Statement of Valuation of Property in the City and County of New York, from 1805 to 1825, both inclusive.

DATE.	VALUATION.	CITY AND COUNTY TAX.	STATE TAX.	TOTAL OF CITY AND STATE TAX.	CENTS.	DOLLS.
1805..	$25,645,867	$127,094 87			50	per 1
1806..	26,529,630	127,814 97			48½	"
1807..	24,959,955	129,155 09			52	"
1808..	25,118,720	138,984 18			55	"
1809..	24,782,267	139,027 39			56	"
1810..	25,486,370	129,727 15			51	"
1811..	26,045,730	176,978 25			68	"
1812..	26,240,040	174,920 17			67	"
1813..	27,650,250	174,727 94			63	"
1814..	28,091,497	214,225 09			26	"
1815..	81,636,012	197,613 38	$163,372 08	$361,285 46	44½	"
1816..	82,074,200	180,653 94	164,148 50	344,802 44	42	"
1817..	78,895,735	216,720 44	157,590 27	374,311 71	47	"
1818..	80,254,091	255,740 79	80,254 09	335,994 88	42	"
1819..	79,113,061	250,140 21	79,113 61	329,253 82	41½	"
1820..	69,530,753	270,361 19	69,530 75	339,891 94	49	"
1821..	68,285,070	299,430 30	68,285 07	367,715 37	49½	"
1822..	71,285,144	303,105 61	71,289 14	374 397 75	52½	"
1823..	70,940,820	351,814 36	70,940 80	422,755 16	59½	"
1824..	83,075,676	353,329 89	41,537 84	394,857 73	47½	"
1825..	101,160,046	536,868 82	50,580 03	387,448 85	38¼	"

Statement of the Value of Real and Personal Estate in the City and County of New York, with the amount raised by Tax, from the year 1826 to 1855, *both inclusive.*

DATE.	VALUE OF REAL ESTATE.	VALUE OF PERSONAL ESTATE.	TOTAL VALUE REAL & PERSONAL.	AMOUNT RAISED BY TAX.
1826.....	$64,804,050	$42,434,981	$107,238,931	$383,758 89
1827.....	72,617,770	39,594,156	112,211,926	437 692 02
1828.....	77,138,880	36,879,653	114,019,533	485,751 72
1829.....	76,130,430	35,672,626	111,803,066	507,107 24
1830.....	87,603,580	37,684,938	125,288,518	509,178 44
1831.....	95,594,335	41,96 6,194	137,560,259	502,104 05
1832.....	104,160,605	40,741,723	144,902,328	605,385 74
1833.....	114,124,566	52,366,976	166,491,542	971,854 61
1834.....	123,249,280	63,299,231	186,548,511	885,065 49
1835.....	143,742,425	74,991,278	218,723,703	965,602 94
1836.....	233,782,803	75,758,617	309,560,920	1,085,130 44
1837.....	196,450,109	67,297,241	263,747,350	1,244,872 15
1838.....	194,543,359	69,609,582	264,152,941	1,486,993 73
1839.....	196,940,134	73,920,885	270,869,019	1,352,826 51
1840.....	187,221,714	65,011,801	252 233,515	1,354,835 29
1841.....	186,359 948	64,843,972	251.194,920	1,394,136 65
1842.....	176,513,092	61 292,559	237,805,651	2,051,382 66
1843.....	164,955,314	64,274,765	229,229,079	1,747,516 29
1844.....	171 957,594	64,789,552	236,727,143	1,988,818 56
1845.....	177,207,990	62,787,527	239,995,517	2,096,191 18
1846....	183,480,334	61,471,470	244,952,004	2,526,146 71
1847.....	187,315,886	59,857,913	247,153,299	2,581,776 30
1848.....	193,029,676	61,104,447	254,163,523	2,715,510 25
1849.....	197,741,919	58,455,224	256 197,143	3,005,762 52
1850.....	207,142,576	78,919,240	286 061,816	3,230,085 02
1851.....	227,015,856	93,095,001	320,110,857	2 924,455 94
1852.....	253,278,584	98,490,042	351,768,426	3,380,511 05
1853.....	294,657,296	118,994,137	413,631,382	5,066,698 74
1854.....	350,300,346	131,721,388	462 021,734	4,845,386 07
1855.....	336,975,466	150,022,312	486,998 278	5 843,822 89
1856.....	340,972,098	170,774,393	511,740,491	7,075,425 72

Receipts and Expenditures on account of Building Loan Stock Nos. 3 & 4, *(for the erection of Work-house Buildings,) for the year* 1855.

RECEIPTS.

Proceeds of $40,000 Stock, issued May 1, 1855.....$40,000 00

EXPENDITURES.

Treasury advance, January 1, 1855..... 35,497 55

Due from Treasury, January 1, 1856..... $1,502 50

WARDS.	ASSESSMENTS OF 1855.		ASSESSMENTS OF 1856.		TOTAL.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	REAL ESTATE.	PERSONAL ESTATE.	REAL ESTATE.	PERSONAL ESTATE.	1855.	1856.	REAL ESTATE.	PERSONAL ESTATE.	REAL ESTATE.	PERSONAL ESTATE.
1	$35,975,250 00	$55,177,396 89	$37,192,580 00	$59,828,013 00	$91,153,146 89	$97,020,593 00	$1,217,330 00	$4,650,116 11		
2	22,448,157 00	5,118,630 13	22,787,925 00	5,246,667 49	27,566,787 13	28,034,592 49	339,768 00	128,037 36		
3	21,745,650 00	8,420,022 47	22,723,788 00	9,341,651 00	30,165,672 47	32,065,439 00	978,138 00	921,608 53		
4	9,378,890 00	1,644,430 00	9,449,070 00	1,758,545 00	11,023,320 00	11,207,615 00	70,180 00	114,115 00		
13	13,805,300 00	2,150,553 00	14,282,450 00	1,955,992 00	16,015,853 00	16,238,442 00	477,150 00			$196,561 00
6	9,506,550 00	1,709,357 70	9,567,324 00	1,530,659 00	11,236,907 70	11,097,983 00	60,774 00			169,818 70
7	12,475,958 00	3,185,516 12	12,574,698 00	3,078,166 12	15,661,474 12	15,652,864 12	98,740 00			107,350 00
15	15,291,500 00	1,823,726 00	16,162,969 00	2,907,358 55	17,085,226 00	19,070,327 55	901,469 00	1,085,632 55		
13	13,767,700 00	2,602,864 20	13,899,000 00	3,071,875 58	16,370,564 20	16,970,875 58	131,300 00	469,011 38		
10	8,144,400 00	1,121,385 11	8,281,500 00	1,083,484 11	9,265,785 11	9,364,984 11	137,100 00			37,901 00
11	7,564,700 00	521,987 46	7,655,000 00	847,345 42	8,086,687 46	8,482,345 42	70,300 00	325,357 96		
12	8,491,435 00	905,800 00	7,391,285 00	758,075 00	9,397,235 00	8,149,360 00			$1,100,150 00	147,725 00
13	5,093,991 00	740,664 92	5,121,400 00	515,100 00	5,834,655 92	5,636,500 00	27,409 00			225,564 92
14	9,875,300 00	2,319,045 23	10,261,400 00	2,254,423 00	12,194,345 23	12,515,823 00	386,100 00			65,222 23
15	25,357,350 00	20,042,047 00	25,691,500 00	22,191,629 00	45,399,397 00	47,883,129 00	334,150 00	2,149,582 00		
16	14,871,850 00	2,602,800 00	15,505,200 00	3,539,588 50	17,474,650 00	19,104,788 50	633,350 00	936,788 50		
17	15,502,400 00	4,798,230 00	15,820,479 00	5,777,256 21	20,360,630 00	21,591,715 21	258,079 00	973,006 21		
18	31,930,205 00	14,296,150 00	32,954,350 00	16,992,442 00	46,232,355 00	49,946,792 00	1,018,145 00	2,696,292 00		
19	9,392,936 00	137,000 00	8,041,183 00	1,360,000 00	9,529,936 00	9,401,183 00		1,223,000 00	1,351,753 00	
20	13,936,500 00	445,200 00	14,304,950 00	1,020,250 00	14,381,700 00	15,325,200 00	368,450 00	575,050 00		
21	21,796,375 00	5,037,700 00	21,025,025 00	6,380,092 00	26,834,075 00	27,411,117 00		1,348,392 00	771,350 00	
22	10,590,129 00	738,175 90	10,239,025 00	730,675 90	11,328,304 90	10,969,697 90			351,107 00	7,500 00
Non-residents		14,491,530 00		18,601,265 00	14,491,530 00	18,601,265 00		4,109,735 00		
	$337,038,526 00	$150,022,312 13	$340,972,008 00	$170,774,393 94	$487,060,838 13	$511,740,491 94	$7,507,932 00	$21,703,724 68	$3,574,360 00	$957,642 85
						Less Decrease,				$ 4,532 85
						Total Increase,				$24,079,053 81

Total Valuation in County, ... $511,740,491 94
" " " Lamp District, ... 496,923,377 94
" " south of Forty-second street, ... 484,683,576 04

Statement of Amount of Taxes, and the objects for which they were levied, in the City and County of New York, for seven years, from 1850 to 1856.

HEADS OF ACCOUNTS.	1850.	1851.	1852.	1853.	1854.	1855.	1856.
Alms-house	$100,000 00	$380,000 00	$390,000 00	$385,000 00	$427,000 00	$613,450 00	$925,000 00
Aqueduct Repairs	20,000 00	15,000 00	30,000 00	18,000 00	22,000 00	20,000 00	35,000 00
Do. Construction	8,000 00						
Battery Enlargement			20,000 00	25,000 00	25,000 00	25,000 00	
Board of Health	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00	40,000 00
City Inspector's Department		15,000 00	50,000 00	$2,275 00	75,500 00	30,000 00	8,315 00
Coroners' Fees	10,000 00	12,000 00	12,000 00	12,000 00	16,000 00	18,000 00	18,000 00
Cleaning Docks and Slips	8,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00	12,500 00	6,000 00	6,000 00	6,000 00
County Contingencies	100,000 00	120,000 00	120,000 00	120,000 00	120,000 00	120,000 00	70,000 00
Common Council, pay of members					31,388 00	38,000 00	36,000 00
Contingent Expenses of Common Council	10,000 00	20,000 00	25,000 00	20,000 00	10,000 00		7,500 00
Docks and Slips—new work	80,000 00			200,000 00	166,000 00	$15,000 00	100,000 00
Do. —repairs	45,000 00			50,000 00	50,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
Donations	15,000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00	5,000 00	46,000 00	10,000 00
Election Expenses	8,000 00	8,000 00	12,000 00	30,000 00	28,000 00	18,000 00	20,000 00
Errors and Delinquencies	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Fire department	40,000 00	50,000 00	70,000 00	50,000 00	55,000 00	75,000 00	81,000 00
Interest on Revenue Bonds	90,000 00	90,000 00	75,000 00	75,000 00	130,000 00	194,000 00	220,000 00
Do. Assessment Bonds						50,000 00	60,000 00
Intestate Estates	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00
Lands and Places	5,000 00	7,500 00	15,000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00	15,000 00	16,500 00
Lands purchased for Assessments	25,000 00		30,000 00	30,000 00			
Markets	5,000 00	5,000 00	7,000 00	8,000 00	8,000 00	12,000 00	7,000 00
Mayoralty Fees	125 00	150 00	150 00	150 00	150 00	150 00	150 00
Officers' Fees	30,000 00	30,000 00	35,000 00	35,000 00	35,000 00	40,000 00	20,000 00
Police and Fire Telegraph						5,000 00	5,000 00
Printing	26,000 00	35,000 00	45,000 00	50,000 00	75,000 00	85,000 00	85,000 00
Repairs and Supplies	50,000 00	60,000 00	60,000 00	195,000 00	135,000 00	144,000 00	182,000 00
Rents	2,000 00	2,000 00	3,000 00	3,500 00	3,500 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
Real Estate	15,000 00	30,000 00	30,000 00	50,000 00	25,000 00	25,000 00	25,000 00
Do. Expenses	10,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	30,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00
Roads and Avenues	30,000 00	30,000 00	40,000 00	30,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00
Do. Eighth Avenue		15,000 00	7,500 00	10,000 00	15,000 00		
Stationery	9,000 00	16,000 00	20,000 00	25,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00	18,000 00

Sunken Vessels—removing			2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Sewers—repairing and cleaning	10,000 00		12,000 00	16,500 00	15,000 00	17,000 00	24,000 00
Salaries	200,000 00	220,000 00	225,000 00	235,000 00	260,000 00	332,000 00	369,200 00
Statistical Tables, Croton Aqueduct Depart		1,500 00		1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Water Pipes and Laying	140,000 00			112,500 00	123,500 00	123,500 00	165,700 00
Cleaning Streets	200,000 00	270,000 00	310,000 00	388,000 00	140,000 00	170,494 00	259,224 00
Street Expenses and Repairs				100,000 00	250,000 00	75,000 00	60,000 00
Deghue or Belgian Pavement						165,000 00	
Common Schools—for State	8,744 49		185,641 46	129,971 91	74,442 55	124,864 45	126,116 99
Do. —for City	267,968 86	447,487 48	502,315 10	604,000 00	668,813 50	956,000 00	1,023,354 36
Commissioners of Record						50,000 00	150,000 00
Building Loan Stock, Nos. 2 and 3	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00
Indexing Records, County Office					5,653 80		
Judges Supreme Court					3,375 00	8,000 00	4,500 00
Lighting Lamp District	185,000 00	190,000 00	200,000 00	300,000 00	321,405 00	330,380 00	396,367 00
New York State Lunatic Asylum	126 68	168 34	361 66	467 00	467 00	509 00	800 00
Do. Juvenile Asylum				50,000 00	4,882 20	20,000 00	40,000 00
Do. Asylum for Idiots						60 00	120 00
Institution for Blind	720 00	720 00	720 00	2,080 00	2,080 00	2,100 00	2,240 00
Do. Deaf and Dumb	2,080 00	2,800 00	2,960 00	2,640 00	2,640 00	2,700 00	2,700 00
Police	492,000 00	510,000 00	540,000 00	615,000 00	872,715 00	819,400 00	858,500 00
Public Education Stock					12,448 58	12,357 36	12,357 36
State Mill Tax	143,042 90	160,059 17	175,853 39	103,408 23	310,224 69	346,714 34	608,826 03
Washington Square Iron Railing Stock	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00			
Water Loan Interest	186,689 00						
Arrearages of Previous Year	290,940 00	35,000 00	18,833 47	742,157 91	123,770 22	481,612 76	415,932 83
Blasting Diamond Reef							35,600 00
Repairing County Jail							5,000 00
Monument to Major General Worth							23,500 00
Grooving Broadway							50,000 00
Paving Bowery and Chatham street							75,000 00
Grading Tenth avenue							18,000 00
Ward Maps and Surveys for Tax Commiss'rs							10,000 00
Surgical Department of Police							5,000 00
Central Park Interest							162,422 15
Society for Reform'n of Juvenile Delinquents							4,000 00
Total tax levied	$3,230,180 47	$2,924,384 99	$3,378,335 08	$5,069,650 05	$4,841,255 54	$5,843,822 89	$7,075,425 72

*Of the tax of 1854, for this account $85,000 was unexpended in that year, and leaves only $15,000 to be levied in 1855.

FERRY RENT.

LESSEE.	LOCATION.	RENT.	EXPIRES.
S. Bowne & Son..... Jos. Smith & Bulkley	Catharine st., East river	$16,000 00	1863
H. F. & S. Blackwell.	Hell Gate.....	190 00	1857
Fulton Ferry Company.	Fulton & Whitehall sts.	35,000 00	1861
W'msburgh Ferry Co..	Grand st. and Peck slip	5,000 00	1859
Houston st. Ferry Co..	Houston street Ferry Co	6,500 00	1863
Jersey City Ferry Co..	Cortlandt st.....	5,000 00	1866
C., R.L.&E.A. Stevens	Barclay street, N. R...	100 00	1865
" "	Hoboken street.....	600 00	1860
" "	Christopher street, N.R.	350 00	1862
Ex'rs of J. G. Costar Jos. Smith & Bulkley	Gouverneur slip, E.R..	1,050 00	1856
A. H. Schultz.....	Green Point & 14th st.	200 00	1865
C. Vanderbilt..... ..	Staten Island.....	1,000 00	1865
S. V. D. Laing.....	39th street, North river.	100 00	1862
John H. Martine.....	Roosevelt street.....	3,000 00	1867
St. Patrick's Cathedral.	23d street, E. R.....	100 00	1863
Berry & Hicks..... ..	Pier 35 East River, to Williamsburgh	3,000 00	1868
J. H. Youmans.....	North half pier 45, E.R.	1,250 00	1859
Henry Conklin.....	86th st., N.R. and Bull's Ferry.....	1st 5 years, 100 00 2d 5 years, 200 00	Rent to commence 1 y'r after 86th st. is regulated.
Jacob Sharpe.....	Wall street.....	20,000 00	*1862
Pavonia Ferry Co.....	Chambers street & Pavonia avenue..	9,000 00	1864
B. B. Purdy.....	34th street E.R. to Hunter's Point, L.I.	125 00	1866

* Rent of Wall street Ferry to commence fifteen months from July 1, 1852.

Real estate in use by Fire Department.

		Estimated value.
No.	24 Beaver street, near Broad	$15.000
"	74 Cedar street, near Nassau	3,000
"	176 Cedar street, near Washington	1,500
"	5 Duane street, near William	4,000
	West Broadway, corner of North Moore street	3,500
"	5 Jackson street	3,000
"	189 Madison street, near Rutgers	3,500
	Gouverneur street, near Henry	3,000
"	127 & 129 Mercer street, near Prince, (Firemen's Hall)	35,000
"	99 Wooster, near Prince	7,000
	Horatio street, near Prince	4,000
"	48 Horatio street	6,100
"	107 Barrow street, near Bedford	3,000
"	91 Ludlow street	3,500
"	101 Hester street, near Eldridge	3,500
"	49 Chrystie street	4,000
	Eldridge street, near Walker, two lots	5,000
"	92 Houston street	5,000
	Tenth street, near Avenue D	1,000
"	707 Fourth street	5,000
	Lawrence street, near Tenth avenue, Manhattanville	1,000
"	47 Marion street	6,000
"	174 Mulberry street	4,000
"	132 Amity street	6,000
"	225 Seventeenth street, near Ninth avenue	5,000
"	165 West Twentieth street	3,500
	Twenty-fourth street, near Seventh avenue	3,000
"	199 Chrystie street, near Stanton	6,000
	Thirteenth street, south side, between Third and Fourth avenues	5,000
	Twenty-second street, near Second avenue, three lots	10,000
"	1006 Broadway, near Twenty-sixth street	5,000
	Twenty-fifth street, near Third avenue	3,000
	Thirty-third street, between Third and Fourth avenues	2,000
	Third avenue, corner of Eighty-fifth street	6,000
	Sixty-eighth street, north side, between Tenth avenue and Bloomingdale road	1,000
"	125 Norfolk street, between Houston and Stanton	5,000
"	118 Sullivan street	6,500
	Tenth avenue, between One hundred and fifty-fourth and One hundred and fifty-fifth streets	1,200
	Third avenue, between Avenue D and Lewis street	3,300
	Thirteenth street, between Greenwich and Seventh avenues	7,000

	Estimated value.
No. 223 Twelfth street	$6,000
Thirteenth street, between Avenues B and C	4,000
Twenty-seventh street, bet. Ninth and Tenth avenues	4,000
" 131 Christopher street, near Hudson	2,000
" 19 Elizabeth street	8,000
Elm street, near Broome	6,000
Eighty-second street, south side, between Third and Fourth avenues	1,000
Fourth avenue, between One hundred and twenty-sixth and One hundred and twenty-seventh streets	5,000
Henry street, near Gouverneur	8,000
One hundred and twenty-second street, near Third avenue	2,500
One hundred and twenty-first street, near Third avenue	1,000
Forty-seventh street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues	3,000
Fiftieth street, near Third avenue	5,000
Fifty-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues	413
Thirty-first street, near Seventh avenue	3,000
Thirty-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues	3,000
" 6 Norfolk street	6,060
Fifty-eighth street, near Third avenue	5,566
" 179 Church street	9,500
" 115 Christopher street, between Bleecker and Hudson	4,000
" 22 Eldridge street, (jail)	7,000
" 40 Fifth street, between Second and Third avenues	1,066
Houston street, north side, between Lewis and Columbia	1,500
" 593 Hudson street	6,800
Eighteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues	3,700
Total	$315,813

Public Parks.

Bowling Green, foot of Broadway	$135,000 00
Battery, fronting the harbor, foot of Broadway	3,000,000 00
Castle Garden	100,000 00
Park, bounded by Broadway, Chatham and Chamber streets	3,000,000 00
Buildings in the Park	600,000 00
Duane Park	15,000 00
Park at Cross, Anthony and Little Water streets	15,000 00
Washington square, bounded by Waverley place and Fourth, Macdougal and Wooster streets	816,000 00
Abingdon square, bounded by Hudson street, Eighth avenue and Troy street	12,000 00
Triangular Park, Fourth, Christopher and Grove streets	15,000 00
Central Park, Fifty-ninth and One hundred and sixth streets, Fifth and Eighth avenues	5,111,526 30



Lith. by C. Hayward, 180 Water St. N.Y.

for D. T. Valentine's Manual, for 1857.

THE OLD STORE HOUSE AT TURTLE BAY, N.Y. 1852.

The Building from which the Liberty Boys led by Willett took the Kings Stores

	Estimated value.
Union Park, bounded by Fourth and Fifth avenues, and Fourteenth and Seventeenth streets	$504,000 00
Tompkins square, bounded by Avenues A and B, and Seventh and Tenth streets	337,000 00
Stuyvesant square	196,000 00
Madison square, bounded by Fourth and Fifth avenues, and Twenty-third and Twenty-sixth streets	520,000 00
Triangular Park, bounded by Fifth avenue, Broadway and Twenty-fifth street	10,000 00
Reservoir square	150,000 00
Manhattan square	88,000 00
Hamilton square, Yorkville	97,000 00
Mount Morris square	40,000 00
	$14,761,520 [illegible]

Bulkheads, Wharves and Piers belonging to the Corporation of the city of New York.

NORTH RIVER.

No. of Piers.		Estimated value.
	Bulkhead, Battery place	$2,000
½12, 13, ½14	Albany street, and Cedar street	100,000
20	Dey street	50,000
21, 22, ½23	Fulton street, and Vesey street	115,000
29	Warren street	90,000
30	Chambers street	60,000
31	Duane street	110,000
32, ½33	Between Duane and Jay streets	45,000
½34	Harrison street	15,000
35	Franklin street	40,000
36	North Moore street	30,000
37	Beach street	40,000
38	Hubert street and North Battery	100,000
39	Vestry street	36,000
40	Watts street	20,000
41, ½42	Canal street	125,000
½42, 43	Canal street	50,000
*44	Between Spring and Charlton streets	22,500
45, 46	Charlton street and King street	45,000
47	Hamersley street	20,000
48	Clarkson street	30,000
49	Leroy street	20,000
50	Morton street	20,000

* Half of pier No. 44, North river, conveyed by resolution of Common Council to Jonathan Wilt, and the other half to J. N. Danforth.

No. of Piers.		Estimated value.
51, 52, 53	Christopher, Amos and Charles street	$85,000
54	Perry street	15,000
55	Hammond street	20,000
	Troy street	10,000
	Eighteenth street	10,000
	Twenty-first street	10,000
	Twenty-sixth street	10,000
	Forty-third street	10,000
	Fifty-third street	10,000
	Fifty-fifth street	10,000
	Manhattanville, One hundred and thirtieth and One hundred and thirty-first street	10,000
	One hundred and fifty-fifth street	1,000
	Pier foot of Twentieth street	11,000
	" Twenty-second street	11,000
		$1,428,500

EAST RIVER.

	Vanderbilt Pier	$10,000
1 & ½ short pier	Whitehall	50,000
½4, 5, 6, 7, ½	Broad street and Coenties slip	450,000
½12	Old slip and bulkhead	50,000
½15	Coffee-house slip and bulkhead	50,000
½20, ½21	Burling slip and bulkhead	85,000
½22, ½23	Fulton street and Beekman street	100,000
½24, ½25	Between Beekman street and Peck slip	70,000
½29, 30, 31, ½32	Roosevelt street and James slip	120,000
½33, ½34	Oliver street	50,000
37, 38	Market slip	100,000
40, 41	Pike slip	90,000
1-9, 42	Between Pike and Rutgers slips	5,000
43, 44	Rutgers slip	80,000
46	Jefferson street	30,000
48	Clinton street	45,000
½ short pier, ½53	Gouverneur slip	45,000
½56, ½57	Jackson street	25,000
	Broome street—2 piers	45,000
	Delancey street—2 piers	45,000
	Bulkhead along Rivington street, and from Rivington to Stanton street, and pier in the slip	54,000
	Pier foot of Stanton street	15,000
	" Third "	10,000
	" Fifth "	10,000
	" Twenty-third street and bulkhead	50,000

	Estimated value.
Pier foot of Twenty-fifth street	$20,000
" Twenty-sixth "	20,000
" Twenty-eighth "	10,000
" Twenty-eighth "	10,000
" Fifty third "	4,000
" Sixty-first "	4,000
" One hundred and Sixth street	3,000
" One hundred and thirtieth street.	3,000
Total valuation of East river	$1,829,000
" " North river	1,428,500
	$3,257,500

Real Estate occupied for Market Purposes.

Markets.	Bounded by.	Estimated value.
Centre	Grand, Centre, Broome and Baxter streets	$100,000 00
Clinton	Canal, Washington, Spring and West streets	75,000 00
Catharine	Cherry and South streets	60,000 00
Essex	Ludlow, Grand and Essex streets	95,000 00
Fulton	Beekman, South, Fulton and Front streets	210,000 00
Franklin	Front and South streets	30,000 00
Gouverneur	Front, South and Gouverneur streets	6,000 00
Harlem	Third av., west side, bet. 120th & 121st streets	10,000 00
Jefferson	Greenwich lane, Amos street and Sixth ave.	75,000 00
Tompkins	Sixth and Seventh sts., Third av. and Hall pl.	50,000 00
Union	Houston, Sheriff, Columbia and Second streets	18,000 00
Washington	Fulton, West, Vesey and Washington	385,000 00
	Total	$1,114,000 00

Real Estate used by the Croton Aqueduct Department.

Croton Aqueduct	$15,000,000 00
Distributing Reservoir and Reservoir square, 40th and 42d streets, 5th and 6th avenues	300,000 00
Receiving Reservoir, 79th and 86th streets, 6th and 7th av.	150,000 00
10 lots, 7th avenue, West 84th and 85th streets	4,000 00
8 lots, Avenue A, 24th and 25th streets	20,000 00
	$15,474,000 00

Real Estate used by the Police Department.

49 Beekman street, south, Gold and William	$20,000 00
94 and 96 Charles street, south, Bleecker and Hudson	18,000 00
Delancey street, north, Attorney	10,000 00

8th avenue, east, south east corner 48th street	$6,000 00
First avenue, west, 4th and 5th streets	15,000 00
59th street, south, Second and Third avenues	7,000 00
9 and 11 Franklin street, south, Baxter and Centre	20,000 00
49 Leonard street, north, Church and West Broadway	10,000 00
221 Mercer street, west, Amity and Fourth streets	10,000 00
9 Oak street, south, Pearl and Roosevelt	14,000 00
126th street, south, Third and Fourth avenues	8,000 00
Prince street, south, Laurens and Wooster	10,000 00
20th street, south, Seventh and Eighth avenues	7,000 00
35th street, south, Eighth and Ninth avenues	7,000 00
53 Spring street, north, Marion and Mulberry	10,000 00
35th street	3,700 00
	$175,700 00

Estimated Value of the Real Estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York.

1856.

Uncommuted quit-rents, reserved on property when sold, and Water Grants yet to be issued	$900,000
Lots under lease, without covenants of renewal	325,000
Lots under lease, with covenants of renewal	500,000
Real estate in Brooklyn, owned by the city of New York	50,000
Common lands	500,000
Sundry lots and gores of land	250,000
Real estate in use by the Police Department	175,700
" " Fire Department	315,813
" " Governors of Alms-house	1,250,000
Real estate in use for Common School purposes	1,200,000
" " Market purposes	1,150,000
" " Public Parks	14,761,526
Bulkheads, Wharves and Piers belonging to the Corporation.	3,400,000
Property in use for ferry purposes	1,200,000
Property used for Croton Aqueduct Department	15,475,000
Total	$41,625,639

Rates of Wharfage of the Port of New York, as established by the Legislature of the State of New York, April 9th, 1813.

[See Laws of the state of New York, revised and passed at the Thirty-sixth session of the Legislature, Vol. 2, sec. 212, page 429.]

For every vessel under 50 tons, at the rate of.....$0 50 per day.

For every ship or vessel over fifty tons and under		100 tons..	0	62½	"				
"	"	100	"	"	150	" ..	0	75	"
"	"	150	"	"	200	" ..	0	87½	"
"	"	200	"	"	250	" ..	1	00	"
"	"	250	"	"	300	" ..	1	12½	"
"	"	300	"	"	350	" ..	1	25	"
"	"	350	"	"	400	" ..	1	37½	"
"	"	400	"	"	450	" ..	1	50	"
"	"	450	"	"	500	" ..	1	62½	"
"	"	500	"	"	550	" ..	1	75	"
"	"	550	"	"	600	" ..	1	87½	"

☞ For every ship or vessel of 600 tons and upward, 12½ *cents in addition for every* 50 *tons*, in addition to the rate last mentioned, ($1,87½.) for every day such ship or vessel shall use, or be made fast to any of the wharves in the city of New York.

"Every ship or other vessel which shall make fast to any other ship or vessel that shall be fastened to any wharf, and being so fastened, shall load, unload or careen, shall pay the *one-half* of the rate of wharfage such ship or vessel would have been liable to pay, if fastened to such wharf, and there loaded, unloaded or careened." *See* 215.

COMPTROLLER'S PAY DAYS—1857.

APPLICATION DAYS, 1857.	PAY DAYS, 1857.
January.....14	January.....7
" 28	" 21
February.....11	February.....4
" 25	" 18
March.....10	March.....3
" 24	" 17
April.....7	" 31
" 21	April.....14
May.....5	" 28
" 19	May.....12
June.....2	" 26
" 16	June.....9
" 30	" 23
July.....14	July.....7
" 28	" 21
August.....11	August.....4
" 25	" 18
September.....8	September.....1
" 22	" 15
October.....6	" 29
" 20	October.....13
November.....3	" 27
" 17	November.....10
December.....1	" 24
" 15	December.....8
" 29	" 22



CROTON AQUEDUCT DEPARTMENT.

TABULAR STATEMENT

OF PIPE LAID FOR THE DISTRIBUTION AND SUPPLY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK WITH CROTON WATER DURING THE YEAR 1856.

Four inch.

STREET.	BETWEEN.	FEET.
Eighth avenue	Fifty-fourth street, 43 feet north	43
130th street	Third avenue, 86 feet east	86
	Total length in feet	129

Six inch.

Park place	Church street and College place	544
Canal street	Centre and Mulberry streets	697
Third avenue	129th and 130th streets	272
Fourth "	Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets	233
Fifth "	125th and 129th streets	1,037
Seventh "	Forty-second and Forty-third streets	245
Eighth "	Fifty-fifth street, intersection	59

STREET.	BETWEEN.	FEET.
Eighth avenue	Fifty-sixth street, intersection	58
" "	Fifty-seventh street, "	87
" "	Fifty-eighth street, "	105
Ninth "	Fifty-second street, "	114
" "	Fifty-third street, "	114
" "	Fifty-first and Fifty-fourth streets	772
Eleventh'	Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth streets	246
" "	Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets	270
Eighteenth	Second and Third avenues	884
"	Eleventh avenue, easterly	425
Thirty-second	Eleventh avenue, 298 feet east	298
Thirty-fourth	Third and Lexington avenues	416
Thirty-sixth	" " "	255
"	Tenth avenue, west	187
Thirty-seventh	Tenth and Eleventh avenues	782
Forty-third	Seventh and Eighth avenues	310
Forty-fifth	First and Second avenues	7 5
"	Ninth and Tenth avenues	1,063
Forty-second	Second and Third avenues	884
Forty-sixth	Ninth avenue, and 200 feet west	300
Forty-seventh	Third avenue and East river	1,955
"	Broadway and Sixth avenue	1,040
"	Eighth avenue and Broadway	425
Forty-ninth	Sixth avenue, westerly	238
"	Eleventh and Twelfth avenues	748
Fiftieth	Broadway and Eighth avenue	472
Fifty-first	Eighth and Ninth avenues	930
"	Tenth and Eleventh avenues	1,040
Fifty-second	Fourth and Fifth avenues	510
"	Eleventh and Twelfth avenues	839
Fifty-third	Third and Fifth avenues	1,530
Fifty-fourth	Third and Fifth avenues	2,052
"	Ninth and Tenth avenues	875
Fifty-eighth	Broadway and Seventh avenue	540
Eighty-second	Second avenue, westerly	306
Eighty-third	Second and Third avenues	850
	Total length in feet	25,702

Twelve inch.

Second avenue	Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets	255
Second avenue	Forty-first and Forty-third streets	559
Sixth avenue	Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets	40
Sixth avenue	Forty-eighth and Fiftieth streets	527
Eighth avenue	Fifty-fourth and Fifty-ninth streets	1,350
	Total length in feet	2,731

Twenty inch.

STREET.	BETWEEN.	FEET.
Thirty-eighth	Second avenue, and 102 feet east	102
	Total length in feet	102

Thirty inch.

Ninth avenue	Thirty-seventh and Forty-second streets	1,319
	Total length in feet	1,319

RECAPITULATION.

Four inch mains	129
Six inch mains	25,702
Twelve inch mains	2,731
Twenty inch mains	102
Thirty inch mains	1,319
Total	29,983

Or five miles and 3,583 feet.

SEWERS

CONSTRUCTED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE CROTON AQUEDUCT DEPARTMENT SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION.

1849.	Number of sewers	25	
	" basins and culverts	58	
	Lineal feet in length		16,165
1850.	Number of sewers	70	
	" basins and culverts	173	
	Lineal feet in length		61,579
1851.	Number of sewers	105	
	" basins and culverts	157	
	Lineal feet in length		63,009
1852.	Number of sewers	100	
	" basins and culverts	196	
	Lineal feet in length		65,689
1853.	Number of sewers	85	
	" basins and culverts	256	
	Lineal feet in length		73,542
1854.	Number of sewers	88	
	" basins and culverts	244	
	Lineal feet in length		73,519
1855.	Number of sewers	65	
	" basins and culverts	110	
	Lineal feet in length		38,679
1856.	Number of sewers	73	
	" basins and culverts	121	
	Lineal feet in length		49,280
	Total	83 miles, 2,172 feet.	

The annexed abstract shows the localities, length and sizes of all sewers for which contracts have been made, from January 1st, 1856, to date, together with the number of receiving basins and culverts attached to each, respectively.

STREET.	BETWEEN.	LENGTH.	SIZE.	BASINS AND CULVERTS.
P'k pl. & Robinson	Church and Greenwich	685	4x2 ft. 8 in.	1
Walker	Ludlow and Eldridge	755	"	5
Do.	Eldridge and Bowery	680	"	1
Second	West Broadway and Hudson	460	"	
Fifteenth	Avenue A and First avenue	610	"	
Spring	Mulberry and 100 feet west	133	"	
Eleventh avenue	Forty-second and Forty-fourth	490	"	4
Fifth	Bowery and Second ave., Fifth			
Second avenue	and Sixth streets	925	"	2
Henry	Rutgers and Ward School No. 2	470	"	
Walker	Bowery, through Canal to Centre	1166	"	8
East Broadway	Montgomery and Gouverneur	309	"	1
Thirty-fifth	Madison and Fifth avenue	405	"	
Essex	Broome and Grand	330	"	1
Forty-fifth	Ninth avenue and 200 feet west	245	"	
Eldridge	Rivington and Stanton	440	"	
Washington	Canal and Spring, Washington			
Spring	and Greenwich	435	"	2
Forty-eighth	Third and Fourth avenues	960	"	2
Houston	Thompson and Sullivan	202	"	
Duane	Greenwich and Hudson	280	"	1
Pitt	Houston and Stanton	385	"	
Forty-seventh	Third and Fifth avenues	2000	"	4
Forty-fifth	Hudson river and Tenth avenue	1462	"	2
Broome	Bowery and Eldridge	760	"	4
Pell	Mott and Bowery	430	"	2
Harrison	Hudson street and Hudson river	963	"	6
Broadway	Fortieth and Forty-first streets	208	"	
Thompson	Bleecker and Amity	231	"	
Eighth	Fifth and Sixth avenues	1040	4 ft. (cir.)	
Twenty-eighth	Eighth avenue and 400 feet west	460	4x2 ft. 8 in.	1
Barrow	Washington & 200 ft. E. Hudson	885	"	4
Fifth avenue	124th street and Harlem river	3140	"	17
Fifty-seventh	Eighth and Ninth avenues	774	"	
Forty-ninth	Lexington and Fifth avenues	1470	"	4
Ludlow	Broome and Grand	248	"	
Ridge	Stanton and Rivington	466	"	
Twenty-eighth	Ninth and Tenth av's, Twenty-			
Tenth avenue	seventh & Twenty-eighth sts.	1150	"	2
Hudson	Dominick and Spring	215	"	1
Madison	Jefferson and Montgomery	810	"	3

PIPE OF ALL SIZES, FOR THE SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION OF CROTON WATER, TO DECEMBER 31, 1856.

TIME.	48	36	30	24	20	16	12	10	6	4	TOTALS.
Previous to July, 1849.		60333	25796	5400	20275	13125	225140	5875	668107		1,024,051 feet, or 193 miles, 5,011 feet.
July to Decemb'r, 1849.						958	2430		9402	7451	20,236 " 3 " 4,396 "
January to " 1850.		515	2040		4860		2375		30539	969	41,328 " 7 " 4,368 "
" " 1851.					2721		18739		42817	923	65,199 " 12 " 1,839 "
" " 1852.					3650		12171		47714		63,535 " 12 " 175 "
" " 1853.	3500		5125			...	996	...	24161		33,782 " 6 " 2,102 "
" " 1854.	587				1765		5000		23223		30,575 " 5 " 4,275 "
" " 1855.			10582		1492		6063		18784		36,921 " 6 " 5,141 "
" " 1856.			1319		102		2731		25702	129	29,983 " 5 " 3,583 "
	4087	60878	44862	5400	34864	14078	275645	5875	899445	9472	1,345,610 feet, or 254 miles, 4,490 feet.

The present Department was organized in July, 1849. The first line in the table gives the quantity in use at that time; the others, the quantity laid each year since. The figures at the head of the columns indicate the internal diameter of pipes, in inches.

The following table exhibits the yearly revenue derived from Croton Water as collected by the Department, from its introduction into the city, in 1842, with the annual increase or decrease thereof.

TIME.	RECEIPTS.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Oct. 5, 1842, to May 1, 1843..	$32,053 74	——	——
May 1, 1843, " 1, 1844..	84,444 68	52,390 94	——
" 1, 1844, " 1, 1845.	117,277 86	32,833 18	——
" 1, 1845, " 1, 1846..	163,900 52	46,622 66	——
" 1, 1846, " 1, 1847..	193,346 24	29,445 72	——
" 1, 1847, " 1, 1848..	219,416 72	26,070 48	——
" 1, 1848, " 1, 1849..	250,081 51	30,664 79	——
" 1, 1849, to Dec. 31, 1849..	259,532 97	*9,451 46	——
Jan. 1, 1850, " 31, 1850..	458,951 87	†199,418 90	——
" 1, 1851, " 31, 1851..	458,789 78		‡162 09
" 1, 1852, " 31, 1852..	533,965 16	75,175 38	——
" 1, 1853, " 31, 1853..	579,956 30	45,991 14	——
" 1, 1854, " 31, 1854..	608,966 15	29,009 85	——
" 1, 1855, " 31, 1855..	674,736 42	65,770 27	——
" 1, 1856, " 31, 1856..	662,949 57		11,786 85
Total.....	$5,298,809 49	——	——

* Eight months.

† Under the operation of the laws of 1849.

‡ A reduction in the rents, equal to about 10 per cent., was made this year.

Table, exhibiting the average depth of Water in the Distributing Reservoir, for each month, in each year, from 1848 *to* 1857.

MONTH.	1849.	1850.	1851.	1852	1853.	1854.	1855.	1856.
	ft. in	ft. in.	ft. in	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.
January.....	26.04	30.11	26.11	20.02	27.02	16.05	23.10	25 02
February	26.01	33.05	29.06	21.01	21.09	17.05	20.02	23.06
March	27.01	33.06	31.00	24.10	26.04	23.00	23.02	25.02
April	28.02	33.02	31.10	24.10	21.07	26.05	21.00	26.08
May.	24.09	33.10	31.04	28.03	27.02	29.05	26.00	26.09
June..... ...	25.04	31.11	29.05	25.05	25.02	27.10	25.07	23.03
July	25.09	28.01	28.00	22.10	24.05	25.04	24.00	23.09
August	26.02	27.08	29.00	24.04	23.04	25.08	24.01	23.10
September.....	25.08	29 03	27.03	23.02	22.00	26.08	23 10	25.00
October	27.02	28.10	29.03	24.09	24.02	27.00	19.03	23.02
November.....	24.00	30.11	30.04	26.04	23.06	25.00	23.05	26.06
December	26.08	26.01	29.06	24.06	20 06	24.04	29.05	24.08
Average.....	25.00	30.07	24.05	25.00	24.02	24.07	23.11	24.11

General Appropriations, Expenditures and Balances, from 1849 *to* 1857.

HEADS OF ACCOUNTS.	APPROPRIATION.	DISBURSEMENTS.	BALANCES.
Aqueduct Construction.....	$58,334 87	$47,392 60	$20,942 27
Croton Water Works Extension.	750,330 48	557,892 28	192,438 20
Repairs and Improvements.....	215,123 87	173,327 30	41,796 57
Water Pipes and Laying	1,093,717 98	995,641 59	98.076 39
Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning	114,118 28	101,110 22	13,008 02
Totals.....	2,241,625 44	1,875,363 99	366,261 45

CITY INSPECTOR'S DEPARTMENT.

DEATHS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK IN 1855.

Monthly Returns of the City Inspector to the Secretary of State.

Months.	Totals		Under 1 Year.		1-2		2-5		5-10		10-15		15-20		20-25		
	Both Sexes.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.
Jan.....	2016	369	312	114	101	122	107	51	54	13	7	23	27	47			
Feb.....	2094	402	290	142	111	128	118	34	35	14	18	27	31	43			
March..	2174	386	307	127	125	115	122	53	38	17	21	24	38	62			
April...	1897	288	313	95	90	162	117	60	45	22	17	28	19	35			
May....	1829	317	246	115	112	129	130	42	38	7	11	22	24	37			
June....	1553	274	250	101	112	107	90	48	31	13	11	17	15	24			
July	2515	677	527	178	179	96	103	44	37	14	12	15	19	50			
August.	2614	614	554	274	261	119	117	37	26	14	11	11	19	44			
Sep.....	1854	370	353	156	171	72	80	29	20	7	13	25	18	30			
Oct.....	1578	272	250	112	115	86	78	31	18	12	7	23	7	25			
Nov.....	1411	270	199	78	82	100	82	30	26	12	4	17	23	32			
Dec.....	1507	296	201	98	62	111	89	31	28	15	11	11	17	41			
Total	23042	4535	3802	1620	1524	1349	1233	490	397	160	143	243	257	470			

20-25		25-30		30-40		40-50		50-60		60-70		70-80		80-90		90-100		100 and Upwards.		Ages Unknown.		
Fem.	Male.	Fem	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.
58	51	41	71	88	75	52	47	50	26	40	22	23	5	11	..	4	..	..	5	..		
56	52	51	92	83	88	61	62	27	30	32	27	20	8	7	..	2	..	2	1	..		
54	58	64	112	75	76	57	53	32	34	27	23	37	11	11	3	2	..	..	4	5		
62	33	45	82	65	72	38	54	20	40	26	30	19	4	7	2	5	..	..	1	1		
47	41	56	101	66	61	38	41	32	32	23	13	27	6	5	1	2	..	2	5	..		
37	30	33	60	68	51	32	39	26	24	15	12	13	6	10	..	..	..	..	3	1		
54	46	45	97	41	72	39	34	25	29	21	9	18	8	6	1	2	..	..	10	7		
31	52	40	72	46	55	30	38	38	33	34	13	17	1	6	1	..	..	..	1	2		
42	42	36	59	60	52	30	27	36	16	20	15	20	4	7	1	5	..	..	5	3		
24	51	44	85	66	61	36	24	29	25	33	16	18	9	7	1	6	1	1	2	1		
23	41	46	59	61	46	32	27	24	21	27	13	17	6	8	..	..	..	..	2	3		
20	30	50	70	67	61	23	44	39	16	32	11	15	5	10	..	2	..	..	..	1		
508	527	551	960	786	770	468	490	378	326	330	204	244	73	95	10	30	1	5	39	24		

Total Number of Deaths in each Ward in 1855.

WARDS.	DEATHS.	WARDS.	DEATHS.
First	632	Twelfth	1844†
Second	96	Thirteenth	973
Third	169	Fourteenth	776
Fourth	844	Fifteenth	678
Fifth	944*	Sixteenth	1153
Sixth	1142	Seventeenth	1850
Seventh	1189	Eighteenth	1374
Eighth	989	Nineteenth	1008‡
Ninth	1054	Twentieth	1682
Tenth	712	Twenty-first	1295§
Eleventh	1735	Twenty-second	939
	TOTAL		23042

* Includes deaths in the New York Hospital.

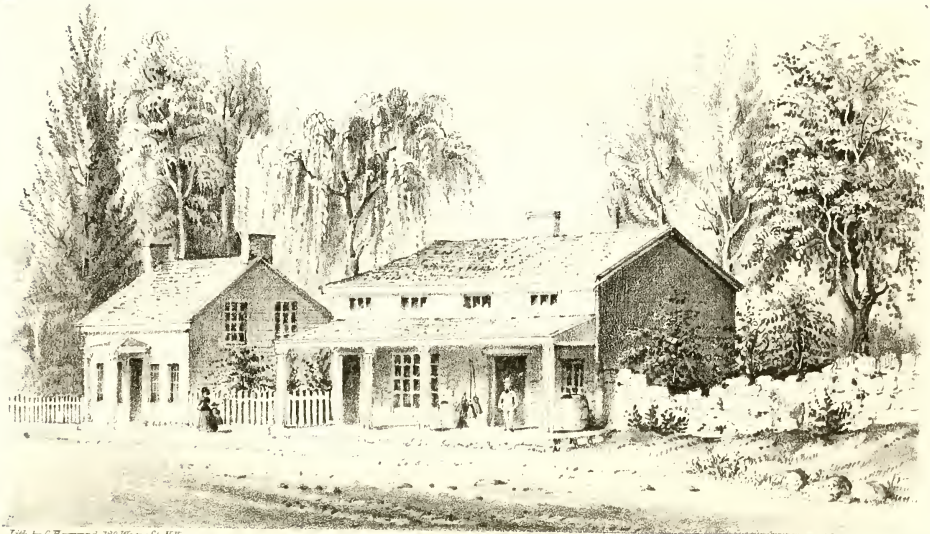
† Includes deaths in Randall's and Ward's Island Hospitals.

‡ Includes deaths in Blackwell's Island and Colored Home Hospitals.

§ Includes deaths in Bellevue Hospital.

Return of Births in the city of New York, for 1855.

MONTHS.	TOTALS.	SEX.		WHITE.		COLORED.	
		Males.	Females	Males.	Females	Males.	Females.
January.....	1358	710	648	700	642	10	6
February.....	1402	671	731	663	728	8	3
March.....	1348	699	649	692	642	7	7
April	1091	576	515	571	512	5	3
May.....	1115	570	545	560	542	10	3
June	1223	665	558	658	552	7	6
July.....	1255	658	597	651	594	7	3
August.....	1261	643	618	639	612	4	6
September.....	1034	545	489	538	486	7	3
October.....	1029	540	489	536	483	4	6
November.....	944	482	462	475	452	7	10
December.....	1085	552	533	548	528	4	5
TOTAL	14145	7311	6834	7231	6773	80	61



Lith. by G. Hayward, 120 Water St. N.Y.

from D. T. Valentine's Manual for 1854

OLD BLUE BELL TAVERN

Return of Marriages in the city of New York, for 1855.

MONTHS.	TOTALS.	COLOR.				CONDITION IN LIFE.					
		White.		Black.		Single.		Widow'd		Unknown	
		M.	F.	M	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M	F.
January	280	276	276	4	4	242	249	32	25	6	6
February	323	311	311	12	12	272	286	45	31	6	6
March	282	280	280	2	2	251	256	29	25	2	1
April	459	451	451	8	8	408	413	42	36	9	10
May	466	453	453	7	7	389	393	62	44	18	18
June	391	209	203	11	9	269	274	25	25	7	2
July	350	339	339	11	11	294	322	50	22	6	6
August	379	275	275	4	4	240	253	3	18	8	8
September	379	370	371	9	8	337	345	43	25	5	5
October	392	379	319	13	13	342	352	50	4	.	.
November	328	320	321	8	7	273	294	48	27	7	7
December	336	356	357	10	9	309	321	45	33	12	12
Total	449	1100	1105	99	94	2610	3763	505	355	86	81

AGES.

Under 20.		20—25.		25—30.		30—35.		35—40.		40—45.		45—50.		50—55.		55—60.		60—65.		65—70.		Unknown Ages.	
Male	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.
2	45	95	122	83	66	57	26	16	10	16	5	2	1	2	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	4	5
3	58	92	139	111	78	69	31	21	4	16	5	4	2	2	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	2	4
..	43	95	135	99	68	54	25	18	8	8	3	3	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
4	92	154	207	155	87	87	49	26	15	21	6	4	2	5	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	.	.
5	82	130	188	158	98	85	43	28	15	22	9	4	3	4	1	3	..	1	..	..	..	20	23
1	59	81	122	110	63	55	21	20	15	5	3	5	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	25
2	69	90	139	141	103	65	26	18	8	15	5	10	3	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	6
3	54	86	102	92	77	63	32	17	5	10	3	1	1	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	4
1	62	97	164	145	86	81	36	26	15	7	4	9	4	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	6	9
3	75	119	159	136	86	73	44	32	17	15	8	5	2	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	4	5
5	65	88	137	103	75	76	24	23	12	14	5	10	5	3	1	2	1	..	..	1	..	3	3
3	73	121	165	125	72	65	28	19	9	16	8	5	3	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	8
32	759	1218	1779	1458	953	833	385	426	133	165	59	62	27	41	6	15	2	5	1	2	74	95	

SCHEDULE OF OFFICERS

WHOSE SALARIES ARE PAID FROM THE CITY TREASURY.

NAMES.	OFFICES.	BY WHOM APPOINTED.	COMPENSATION.		
			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL.
Fernando Wood	Mayor	The People			$3000 00
James M. Smith, Jr.	Recorder	do			5000 00
Abraham D. Russell	City Judge	do			5000 00
Office Clerk Com. Council.					
David T. Valentine	Clerk of the Common Council	Board of Aldermen			1500 00
Do	do Board of Supervisors	Board of Supervisors			200 00
Do	Preparing Minutes for publication	Board of Aldermen			150 00
Do	Allowed by virtue of resolution of Common Council, approved July 25, 1848	do do			500 00
John H. Chambers	Deputy Clerk of Board of Aldermen	do do			1500 00
Christian B. Woodruff	First Assistant do do	do do			1000 00
Simon Meyers	Second do do do	do do			1000 00
G. A. Valentine	Librarian	Clerk of Common Council			250 00
Do	Temporary Clerk	do do			650 00
Frank McDonough	Engrossing Clerk	do do	5 c.p.f.		
Patrick Gallagher	Sergeant-at-arms	Board of Aldermen			600 00
Horatio N. Parker	Messenger to Board of Aldermen	do do			850 00
Terrence P. Smith	Assistant Messenger do do	do do			750 00
——— ———	Reader to do do	President Board of Aldermen			250 00
Office of Clerk of Board of Councilmen.					
C. T. McClenachan	Clerk of Board of Councilmen	Board of Councilmen			2000 00
John A. Towle	Deputy Clerk do	do do			1000 00
James Little	Assistant do do	do do			900 00
N. M. Slidell	Sergeant-at-arms do	do do			800 00

Joseph E. Hamblin	Reader	do	President Board of Councilmen		250 00
R. T. Entwistle	Door-keeper	do	Board of Councilmen	$4 00	
John E. Green	Messenger	do	do do		800 00
Mayor's Office.					
Alexander Ming	Mayor's Clerk		Mayor		1250 00
William H. Stephens	First Marshal		do		1250 00
George W. Hinchman	Assistant Clerk and Mayor's Messenger		do		1000 00
William M. Cooke	Mayor's Secretary		do		1250 00
Thomas J. Munday	Clerk to Police Commissioners		do		1250 00
Charles F. Conklin	do	do	do		800 00
William L. Wiley	Inspector of Vessels		do	Fees.	
Finance Department.					
Azariah C. Flagg	Comptroller		The People		3000 00
Artemas S. Cady	Clerk to Comptroller		Comptroller and Board of Aldermen		1500 00
Wakeman H. Tukeman	Stock Clerk		do do		1700 00
Joseph C. Pinckney	Book-keeper		do do		1200 00
James Tompson	Auditor		do do		2000 00
David Groesbeck, Jr	Assistant Auditor		do do		1200 00
Charles Van Tine	do		do do		1000 00
Bureau of Clerk of Arrears.					
Augustus Purdy	Clerk of Arrears		do do		2000 00
Phineas H. Kingsland	Assistant do		do do		1000 00
John S. Cady	do		do do	$3 00	
	First Assistant Clerk of Arrears		Clerk of Arrears & B'd of Aldermen		1200 00
	Second do	do	do do		1200 00
	Third do	do	do do		1000 00
	Fourth do	do	do do		1000 00
	Messenger		do do		800 00
J. B. Smith	Assistant Clerk to Comptroller		Comptroller and Board of Aldermen	$3 00	
Joseph Rose	Collector of City Revenue		do do	Fees.	
James Upton	Messenger		do do		500 00
Bureau of Taxes.					
Henry H. Howard	Receiver of Taxes		Mayor and Board of Aldermen		3000 00
John P. Hone	Deputy Receiver of Taxes		do do		2500 00
Alfred Vredenburgh	Clerk to Deputy Receiver of Taxes		Receiver of Taxes		1200 00
Wilson Small	First Clerk to Receiver of Taxes		Receiver and Board of Aldermen		2000 00
Casper C. Childs	Second do	do	do do		1200 00
Henry Wilkes	Third do	do	do do		1200 00

NAMES.	OFFICES.	BY WHOM APPOINTED.	COMPENSATION.		
			FEES.	PER DIEM	ANNUAL.
William G. McLaughlin	Fourth Clerk to Receiver of Taxes	Receiver and Board of Aldermen			$1200 00
Peter Fargis	Messenger	do do			700 00
Six Temporary Clerks		do do		$3 00	
Bureau of Deposit.					
Andrew V. Stout	City Chamberlain	Mayor and Board of Aldermen			500 00
Do	Allowed for Clerk hire	Chamberlain			400 00
Bureau of City Hall and Park.					
James Taylor	Keeper of the City Hall and Park	Comptroller and Board of Aldermen			1000 00
Fifteen persons	To clean, &c., City Hall and Courts	Keeper		$1 50	7142 50
Tax Commissioners.					
Jonathan W. Allen	Tax Commissioner	Board of Supervisors			2500 00
Amor J. Williamson	do	do do			2500 00
Josiah W. Brown	do	do do			2500 00
James Andrews, Jr	Clerk to Tax Commissioners	do do			1000 00
George L. Loutrel	do do	do do			1000 00
Thaddeus B. Glover	do do	do do			1000 00
W. S. Coles	Messenger	Tax Commissioners		$2 00	
Street Department.					
Joseph S. Taylor	Street Commissioner	The People			2500 00
Charles Turner	Deputy Street Commissioner	Street Com. and Board of Aldermen			1500 00
Olcott Rhines	Map Clerk	do do			1000 00
George T. Rogers	Contract Clerk	do do			1000 00
Henry V. Lovell	Copying Clerk	do do			1000 00
William Turner	Book-keeper	do do			1000 00
William H. Matthews	Clerk	do do			1000 00
John Colvin	do	do do			1000 00
William V. Leggett	do	do do			1000 00
Samuel F. Allen	do	do do			1000 00
Edward Green	do	do do			1000 00
James Peckham	do	do do			1000 00
Joseph B Pollock	do	do do			1000 00
G. H. E. Lynch	do	do do			800 00
William Messenger	do	do do			800 00

Bureau of Sidewalks.						
Edward Merritt	Inspector of Side-walks	do	do		$2 00	
Bureau of Assessments.						
Charles McNiell William A Dooley Jacob F. Oakley	Assessors	do	do	Fees.		
Bureau of Col. of Assessments.						
Joseph R. Taylor	Collector of Assessments	do	do	Fees.		
Horatio N. Sherwood Ira A. Libby Walter Oakley	Deputy Collectors of Assessments	Col. of Ass'ts & Board of Aldermen		Fees.		
Rufus E. Crane	Superintendent of Wharves	Street Com. and Board of Aldermen				1000 00
William H. Hibbard	Superintendent of Lands and Places	do	do			1000 00
A. K. Pratt	Messenger	do	do			700 00
Department of Repairs and Supplies.						
Nathaniel S. Selah	Commissioner of Repairs and Supplies	The People				2000 00
John O'Toole	Clerk to Commissioner of Repairs and Supplies	Com. Rep & Sup. & B'd of Aldermen				1000 00
Isaac G. Sedgas	Clerk in Department	do	do			750 00
William Goodheart	Superintendent of Roads	do	do			1250 00
James Irving	Superintendent of Repairs to Public Buildings	do	do			1500 00
Do	Allowed for horse and wagon					250 00
Thomas A. Bancker	Clerk to Superintendent of Repairs	Sup. Rep. & Sup. & B'd of Aldermen				750 00
Henry C. Woolley	Superintendent of Pavements	Com. do	do			1500 00
Do	Allowed for horse and wagon					250 00
Henry Arcularius	Clerk to Superintendent of Pavements	Sup. Pavements & B'd of Aldermen				750 00
Bureau of Sup. of Fire Dep.						
Henry H. Howard	Chief Engineer of Fire Department	Fire Department & Common Council				3000 00
Bureau of Fire Telegraph.						
Charles Robinson	Regulator of Fire Telegraph					1000 00
Fire Wardens.						
Robert B. Sanderson	Fire Warden	Fire Department & Common Council				600 00
Lewis C. Meeks	do ____	do	do			600 00

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			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL
George C. Brown	Fire Warden	Fire Department & Common Council			$600 00
Michael Eichells	do	do do			600 00
William Wessels	do	do do			600 00
John Crossin	do	do do			600 00
David Theall	do	do do			600 00
F. S. Gregg	do	do do			600 00
C. G. Merritt	do	do do			600 00
William H. McDonough	do	do do			600 00
John T. Harding	do	do do			600 00
Theo. Keeler	do	do do			600 00
John B. Leverich	Clerk to Fire Wardens	do do			800 00
Twenty-seven bell-ringers		each $600			16200 00
Department of Streets and Lamps.					
Joseph E. Ebling	Commissioner of Streets and Lamps	The People			2500 00
Thos. H. Wainwright	Clerk to Commissioner of Streets and Lamps	Com. Sts. & Lps. & B'd of Aldermen			1000 00
Bureau of Lamps and Gas.					
John Lynes	Superintendent of Lamps and Gas	Com Sts. & Lps. & B'd of Aldermen			1500 00
Do	Allowed for horse and wagon	do do			250 00
Isaac R. Varian	Clerk to Superintendent of Lamps and Gas	Sup. Sts. & Lps. & B'd of Aldermen			1000 00
Bureau of Cleaning Streets.					
Morgan L. Mott	Superintendent of Streets	Com. Sts. & Lps. & B'd of Aldermen			1500 00
S. T. Webster	Clerk to Superintendent of Streets	Sup. Streets and Board of Aldermen			1000 00
Bureau of Markets.					
Mathias Gooderson	Superintendent of Markets	Com. Sts. & Lps. & B'd of Aldermen			1000 00
John G. Baum	Clerk of Washington Market	Sup. Markets & Board of Aldermen			1000 00
Geo. Goodheart	Deputy Clerk do	do do			750 00
George W. Isaacs	Clerk of Fulton Market	do do			800 00

George McKimmons	do	Catharine	do	do	do	..		$2 00		
A. Thomas	do	Essex	do	do	do	..		2 00		
Peter Pettit	do	Union	do	do	do	..		2 00		
Peter Vandervoort	do	Jefferson	do	do	do	..		2 00		
Henry S. Lanio	do	Tompkins	do	do	do	..		2 00		
Dewitt Forshay	do	Clinton	do	do	do	..		2 00		
John Styles	do	Franklin	do	do	do	..		1 50		
James S. Egbert	do	Centre	do	do	do	..		2 00		
Lucius F. Hickox	do	Gouverneur	do	do	do	..		1 00		
Croton Aqueduct Depart.										
Myndert Van Schaick	President			Mayor and Board of Aldermen					2000 00	
Theodore R. De Forest	Assistant Commissioner			do	do				2000 00	
Alfred W. Craven	Chief Engineer			do	do				2000 00	
John C. Winder	Assistant Engineer			Croton Aqueduct Board					1200 00	
John P. Flender	Water Purveyor			Crot. Aq't B'd & Board of Aldermen					1500 00	
Reyo C. Hance	Register Water-rents			Mayor and Board of Aldermen					1500 00	
William Fardon	Deputy Register Water-rents			do	do				1000 00	
William V. Le Count	Clerk to Register			do	do				800 00	
J. E. Howard	do			do	do				1000 00	
Henry L. Robertson	Clerk to Croton Aqueduct Board			Croton Aqueduct Board					1400 00	
Alexander F. Dodge	Sewer Contract Clerk			do	do				1200 00	
Gilbert H. White	Clerk to Department			do	do				1000 00	
Seymour V. Moody	do			do	do				1000 00	
Charles R. Fleet	do			do	do				800 00	
Edmund E. Dean	do			do	do				1000 00	
John J. Conklin	Messenger			do	do				700 00	
Alexander H. Thompson	do	Engineer's Office		do	do				180 00	
City Inspector's Department.										
George W. Morton	City Inspector			The People					2500 00	
J. S. Monell	Registrar of Records			City Inspector & Board of Aldermen					1200 00	
Richard C. Downing	Superintendent of Sanitary Inspection			do	do				1200 00	
W. R. W. Chambers	First Clerk to City Inspector			do	do				1200 00	
Samuel A. Vanderlip	Registry Clerk			do	do				600 00	
Lemuel W. Parkes	do			do	do				750 00	
Twenty-two Health Wardens				do	do			$3 00		

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			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL.
Health Commissioners.					
William Rockwell	Resident Physician	Mayor and Board of Aldermen			$1250 00
Jedediah Miller	Health Commissioner	do do			1750 00
Alms-house Department.					
William S. Duke	Confidential Clerk	Board of Governors			2500 00
George G. Gilbert	Clerk	do do			1500 00
Joshua Phillips	Clerk to Governors	do do			1500 00
Samuel R. Spelman	Supply Clerk	do do			1250 00
Cornelius M. Kellock	Messenger	do do			75 00
Alms-house.					
Jonathan Stearns	Warden	Board of Governors			1500 00
Thomas J. Marshall	Clerk	do do			933 33
Michael Shea	Register Clerk	Warden			375 00
Elijah T. Simpson	Engineer	do			700 00
Eliza Heaton	Matron	do			400 00
Catharine M. Flynn	Assistant Matron	do			350 00
Margaret Keating	Help to Matron	do			125 00
John Turner	Captain of Dead Boat	do			240 00
Henry Zeh	Gardener	do			400 00
Laurence Rogers	Runner	do			96 00
Bellevue Hospital.					
Timothy Daly	Warden	Board of Governors			1500 00
John Frey	Apothecary	do do			832 00
John King	Engineer	do do			700 00
Letitia Fry	Matron	do do			400 00
Bolling A. Pope	House Surgeon	do do			182 00
Francis V. White	do	do do			182 00
John G. Johnson	Assistant Surgeon	do do			182 00

J. N. Himes	Assistant Surgeon	do do		182 00
J. S. Dodge, Jr.	House Physician	do do		182 00
D. D. Saunders	do	do do		182 00
L. Warren	do	do do		182 00
J. B. Reynolds	do	do do		182 00
J. Bluxome	Assistant do	do do		182 00
John C. Draper	do	do do		182 00
Benjamin Lee	do	do do		182 00
Reuben Cobb	do	do do		182 00
11 Orderlies, Nurses and Help		Warden each $144		1584 00
5 " " "		do " 120		600 00
12 " " "		do " 96		1152 00
32 " " "		do " 60		1920 00
12 " " "		do " 30		360 00

City Prison.

John Gray	Warden	Board of Governors		1500 00
John H. Whitmore	Clerk	do do		1000 00
John C. Covel	Physician	do do		809 00
Artemas Kendall	Deputy	Warden		650 00
Thomas Mullan	do	do		650 00
Thomas Ahearn	do	do		650 00
William H. Doty	do	do		650 00
Peter Crosby	do	do		650 00
Robert Cunningham	do	do		650 00
Abraham Clearman	do	do		650 00
Flora Foster	Matron	do		450 00
Anna J. French	Assistant Matron	do		300 00
Lavinia Phelps	Night Matron	do		300 00
Edward Smith	Keeper	do		650 00
Mark Finley	do	do		650 00
James Finley	Messenger	do		250 00

Second District Prison.

Merritt Smith	Deputy Keeper	Warden		750 00
John Brown	do	do		650 00
William H. Warts	do	do		650 00

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			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL.
Third District Prison.					
John Orr	Deputy Keeper	Warden			$650 00
Matthew Daly	do	do			650 00
Lunatic Asylum.					
M. H. Ranney	Resident Physician	Board of Governors			1500 00
John V. Lansing	Assistant do	do do			682 00
Charles Corey, Jr.	do do	do do			182 00
Zotus Searle	Chaplain	do do			600 00
Bernard McCann	Engineer	do do			630 00
Richard Read	Attendant	do do			430 00
Edward Robellas	do	do do			430 00
John H. Elliott	do	do do			296 00
Michael Cordial	Watchman	Resident Physician			400 00
Thomas Chadwell	do	do do			400 00
Mary Goodwin	Matron	do do			400 00
Margaret Toohey	do	do do			304 00
Eight Female Attendants	do	do do each $174			1392 00
Mary Welsh	Sewing room	do do			125 00
Thirteen Female Attendants		do do each $72			936 00
Out-door Poor Department.					
George Kellock, Jr.	Superintendent	Board of Governors			1500 00
Sparhawk Parsons	Clerk	Superintendent Out-door Poor			700 00
William B. Parsons	do	do do			700 00
Henry W. Boswell	do	do do			900 00
Charles E. Anderson	do	do do			600 00
John McGrath	Visitor	do do			900 00
James Marshall	do	do do			900 00
James Quackenbush	do	do do			900 00
John Mullane	Hearse Driver	do do			700 00

Robert McDade	Assistant do	do	do		700 00
William Saul	do do	do	do		465 00
Godfrey Kiefler	Door-keeper	do	do		500 00
Andrew Seymour	Keeper of Bellevue Yard	do	do		800 00
Valentine Koehler	do do	do	do		800 00
Henry Berthoff, Sr	do of Rivington street Yard	do	do		800 00
James Gaffney	do do	do	do		800 00
C. A. Alleson	Temporary Visitor	do	do		800 00
William G. Elder	do	do	do		800 00
Michael O'Meara	do	do	do		800 00
Peter Cheves	do	do	do		800 00
Robert Fisher	do	do	do		800 00
George W. Knight	do	do	do		800 00
David Coleman	do	do	do		800 00
Charles H. Weber	do	do	do		800 00
David A. Holl	do	do	do		800 00
George Smith	do	do	do		800 00
William J. Barker	do	do	do		800 00
Drake B. Palmer	do	do	do		800 00
Jabez Gibbs	do	do	do		800 00
George H. Goltzow	do	do	do		800 00
Joseph Davis	do	do	do		800 00
Jotham Wilson	do	do	do		800 00
Moses Jackson	do	do	do		800 00
Thomas O'Reilly	do	do	do		800 00
Henry G. Hunt	do	do	do		800 00
Penitentiary.					
John Fitch	Warden	Board of Governors			1500 00
John E. Flagler	Clerk	do do			800 00
Robert G. Walmsley	Deputy Warden	Warden			750 00
Robert McGee	Shoemaker	do			720 00
Henry McDonald	Blacksmith	do			720 00
Benjamin E. Buckman	Carpenter	do			720 00
Philip E. Brown	Quarry Master	do			720 00
John De Mott	do	do			720 00
Abraham H. Quick	Mason	do			720 00
James Mahoney	Stone Cutter	do			720 00

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Fifteen Keepers		Warden, each $650			$9750 00
One do		do			500 00
Five Guards		do			3250 00
John Schureman	Assistant Carpenter	do			320 00
Ellen H. Halliwell	Matron	do			400 00
Penitentiary Hospital.					
W. W. Sanger	Resident Physician	Board of Governors			1500 00
W. T. White	Assistant do	Resident Physician			182 00
C. W. Packard	do do	do do			182 00
A. W. Woodhull	do do	do do			182 00
J. E. Leavett	do do	do do			182 00
J. C. Selden	do do	do do			182 00
B. Letcher	do do	do do			182 00
C. P. Frost	do do	do do			182 00
S. N. Goss	do do	do do			182 00
Sarah Knox	Matron	Warden			400 00
Elizabeth Tursell	do (Small Pox Hospital)	do			150 00
John Atkinson	Apothecary	Resident Physician			600 00
B. B. Sibell	Steward	Warden			933 33
Thomas Smith	Clerk	Resident Physician			120 00
John O'Rourke	Coxswain				300 00
Randall's Island.					
Harmon Eldredge	Warden, (Randall's Island)	Board of Governors			1500 00
John Verhoff	Coxswain, do	Warden			400 00
James McGivney	Keeper, do	do			630 00
O. Fitzpatrick	Gardener	do			600 00
Philip S. Dorland	Farmer	do			630 00
William O. Webb	City Cemetery, (Ward's Island)	do			800 00
Rufus Ripley	Keeper } Nurseries	do			600 00
Ebenezer Jessup	Engineer }	do			600 00

John Torrey	Tailor		do			420 00
Jane Ley	Matron		do			450 00
Emeline Morgan	Assistant Matron		do			350 00
Margaret W. Fort	do		do			350 00
Charlotte Bottner	do	Nurseries	do			350 00
Leah E. Strang	do		do			350 00
Ellen H. Barnette	do		do			350 00
Mary Baldwin	Sewing-room		do			150 00
Ann Brady	Wash-house		do			100 00
Sixty Nurses			do	each $60		3600 00
Henry N. Whittlesey	Resident Physician, (Nursery Hospital)		Board of Governors			1200 00
D. McL. Weller	Assistant do do		Resident Physician			182 00
John Grammer	do do do		do do			182 00
Jackson Hart	Apothecary		do do			300 00
Mary Strong	Matron, (Nursery Hospital)		Warden			370 00
Bridget Byron	Assist. Matron, do		do			370 00
Margaret Mess	Nurse		do			84 00
Thirty Nurses			do	each $50		1800 00
Thomas B. Tappan	Store-keeper		Board of Governors			1333 33
Store house, R. I						
N. P. Anderson	Store-keeper		Board of Governors			1333 33
S. M. Drew	Clerk		do do			933 33
Bake-house.						
Alfred Chancellor	Baker		Board of Governors			1000 00
Work-house.						
Joseph Keen	Superintendent		Board of Governors			2000 00
Samuel Reynolds	Deputy Superintendent		do do			1000 00
Charles W. Smyth	Clerk		do do			933 33
John Slattery	Engineer		do do			650 00
Isaac Hampton	Carpenter		do do			720 00
Lewis Winter	Shoemaker		do do			720 00
H. Brainard	Quarry Master		do do			720 00
A. D. Renton	Mason		do do			720 00
Ten Keepers			do do	each $600		6000 00
Two Matrons			do do	each $300		600 00

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			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL.
Law Department.					
Richard Busteed	Counsel to Corporation	The People			$3500 00
Do	By virtue of act of April 1, 1854				6500 00
Do	Allowed for Clerk hire				5500 00
George H. Purser	Corporation Attorney	Counsel and Board of Aldermen			2000 00
D. Macgregor	Clerk to Attorney	Corp. Attorney & Board of Aldermen			1500 00
David W. Aallen	do do	do do do			1000 00
Bureau of Public Administrator.					
Charles A. May	Public Administrator	Corp. Attorney & Board of Aldermen			1250 00
William H. Faulkner	Regulator of Public Clocks	Com. Sts. & Lps. & B'd of Aldermen			300 00
Police.					
George W. Matsell	Chief of Police	Police Commissioners			2500 00
W. Mackellar	Clerk to Chief of Police	Chief of Police & Board of Aldermen			1500 00
*B. W. Osborn	Justice, 1st District Police Court	The People			2000 00
*Michael Connolly	do do do	do			2000 00
*James H. Welsh	do do do	do			2000 00
Ed. M. Skidmore	Clerk do do	Mayor and Board of Aldermen			1250 00
*James Nesbitt	do do do	do do			1250 00
*R. H. Johnson	do do do	do do			800 00
Oscar Bogart	Scrivner	do do			800 00
William S. Davison	Justice, 2d District Police Court	The People			2000 00
James M. Flandreau	do do do	do			2000 00
James Murray	Clerk do do	Mayor and Board of Aldermen			1250 00
John Quackenbush	do do do	do do			1250 00
J. Murray	Scrivner	do do			800 00
William L. Wood	Justice, 3d District Police Court	The People			2000 00
M. T. Brennan	do do do	do			2000 00
W. B. Rockwell	Clerk do do	Mayor and Board of Aldermen			1250 00
John Lalor	do do do	do do			1250 00
Jas. E. Kerrigan	Scrivner	do do			1000 00

J. Sherman Brownell	Justice, 4th District Police Court	The People		2000 00
James M. Byrne	Clerk do do	Mayor and Board of Aldermen		1250 00
Michael Halpin	Captain of Police, 1st Ward	Police Commissioners		1000 00
John Dalton	1st Lieut. do do	do do		800 00
William Burns	2d do do do	do do		800 00
56 Policemen to 1st Ward		do do		39200 00
4 Doormen		do do		2400 00
James Leonard	Captain of Police, 2d Ward	do do		1000 00
James Finney	1st Lieut. do do	do do		800 00
Arthur Keating	2d do do do	do do		800 00
42 Policemen to 2d Ward		do do		29400 00
2 Doormen		do do		1200 00
J. A. P. Hopkins	Captain of Police, 3d Ward	do do		1000 00
John W. Cropsey	1st Lieut. do do	do do		800 00
John W. Bennett	2d do do do	do do		800 00
46 Policemen to 3d Ward		do do		32000 00
2 Doormen		do do		1200 00
J. Murray Ditchett	Captain of Police, 4th Ward	do do		1000 00
James Langdon	1st Lieut. do do	do do		800 00
William S. Williston	2d do do do	do do		800 00
52 Policemen to 4th Ward		do do		36400 00
2 Doormen		do do		1200 00
Daniel Carpenter	Captain of Police, 5th Ward	do do		1000 00
William H. Martin	1st Lieut. do do	do do		800 00
D. D. Horrigan	2d do do do	do do		800 00
52 Policemen to 5th Ward		do do		36400 00
2 Doormen		do do		1200 00
Joseph Bowling	Captain of Police, 6th Ward	do do		1000 00
Alonzo Bingham	1st Lieut. do do	do do		800 00
Peter L. Feirty	2d do do do	do do		800 00
55 Policemen to 6th Ward		do do		35700 00
2 Doormen		do do		1200 00
Edward Letts	Captain of Police, 7th Ward	do do		1000 00
John J. Blair	1st Lieut. do do	do do		800 00
Augustus Oliver	2d do do do	do do		800 00
60 Policemen to 7th Ward		do do		42000 00
2 Doormen		do do		1200 00

* Each of said Justices and Clerks allowed one third in addition, for Sunday services.

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Charles S. Turnbull	Captain of Police, 8th Ward	Police Commissioners			$1000 00
Samuel Kohler	1st Lieut. do do	do do			800 00
Furman B. Stage	2d do do do	do do			800 00
53 Policeman to 8th Ward		do do			37100 00
2 Doormen		do do			1200 00
Abraham Ackerman	Captain of Police, 9th Ward	do do			1000 00
J. L. Sebring	1st Lieut. do do	do do			800 00
William Cargill	2d do do do	do do			800 00
50 Policemen to 9th Ward		do do			32900 00
2 Doormen		do do			1200 00
George W Norris	Captain of Police, 10th Ward	do do			1000 00
John Reed	1st Lieut. do do	do do			800 00
Thaddeus C. Davis	2d do do do	do do			800 00
45 Policemen to 10th Ward		do do			32200 00
2 Doormen		do do			1200 00
Peter Squires	Captain of Police, 11th Ward	do do			1000 00
William D. Craft	1st Lieut. do do	do do			800 00
John Cameron	2d do do do	do do			800 00
45 Policemen to 11th Ward		do do			32900 00
2 Doormen		do do			1200 00
Galen T. Porter	Captain of Police, 12th Ward	do do			1000 00
James Crowe	1st Lieut. do do	do do			800 00
William G. Graham	2d do do do	do do			800 00
27 Policemen to 12th Ward		do do			19600 00
4 Doormen		do do			2400 00
John F. Russell	Captain of Police, 13th Ward	do do			1000 00
Joseph O'Keefe	1st Lieut. do do	do do			890 88
Ira A. Clarke	2d do do do	do do			800 00
45 Policemen to 13th Ward		do do			31500 00
2 Doormen		do do			1200 00
David Kisner	Captain of Police, 14th Ward	do do			1000 00
Philip O'Brien	1st Lieut. do do	do do			800 00

Abram Brower	2d	do	do	do	do	do		800 00
47 Policemen to 14th Ward					do	do		32900 00
2 Doormen					do	do		1200 00
George W. Dilks	Captain of Police, 15th Ward				do	do		1000 00
Peter A. Banta	1st Lieut.	do	do		do	do		800 00
Ames Upham	2d	do	do	do	do	do		800 00
41 Policemen to 15th Ward					do	do		28700 00
2 Doormen					do	do		1200 00
John D. McKee	Captain of Police, 16th Ward				do	do		1000 00
M. R. Beam	1st Lieut.	do	do		do	do		800 00
Henry B. May	2d	do	do	do	do	do		800 00
50 Policemen to 16th Ward					do	do		35000 00
2 Doormen					do	do		1200 00
J. W. Hart	Captain of Police, 17th Ward				do	do		1000 00
Joseph De Binder	1st Lieut.	do	do		do	do		800 00
Abram G. Casto	2d	do	do	do	do	do		800 00
50 Policemen to 17th Ward					do	do		35000 00
2 Doormen					do	do		1200 00
Harris Wines, Jr.	Captain of Police, 18th Ward				do	do		1000 00
Theron R. Bennet	1st Lieut.	do	do		do	do		800 00
Edward D. Brush	2d	do	do	do	do	do		800 00
45 Policemen to 18th Ward					do	do		31500 00
2 Doormen					do	do		1200 00
Francis J. Twomey	Captain of Police, 19th Ward				do	do		1000 00
James Bryan	1st Lieut.	do	do		do	do		800 00
M. McCann	2d	do	do	do	do	do		800 00
45 Policemen to 19th Ward					do	do		31500 00
2 Doormen					do	do		2400 00
William Joyce	Captain of Police, 20th Ward				do	do		1000 00
Charles R. Trigler	1st Lieut.	do	do		do	do		800 00
Aaron S. Hotchkiss	2d	do	do	do	do	do		800 00
53 Policemen to 20th Ward					do	do		37100 00
2 Doormen					do	do		1200 00
Francis C. Speight	Captain of Police, 21st Ward				do	do		1000 00
Thomas McFarlen	1st Lieut	do	do		do	do		800 00
Albert M. Palmer	2d	do	do	do	do	do		800 00
45 Policemen to 21st Ward					do	do		31500 00
2 Doormen					do	do		1200 20

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Daniel Witter	Captain of Police, 22d Ward	Police Commissioners			$1000 00
Terrence Reilly	1st Lieut. do do	do do			800 00
William Van Norden	2d do do do	do do			800 00
45 Policemen to 22d Ward		do do			31500 00
2 Doormen		do do			1200 00
F. Fenneberg	Interpreter, First District Court	Court			600 00
A. Trampp	do Second do	do			600 00
L. J. Krolius	do Third do	do			600 00
G. C. S. Dohremond	do Fourth do	do			600 00
Adolphus Mancho	do Halls of Justice				700 00
A. O. Hall	District Attorney	The People			5000 00
John Sedgwick	Assistant do	District Attorney			2500 00
Ira Floyd, Jr.	Clerk to District Attorney	do do			800 00
Henry Vandervoort	Clerk Court of Sessions	Court of Sessions			2500 00
John Sparks	Deputy Clerk do	do do			1500 00
Theodore Taylor	Clerk to City Judge	City Judge			1000 00
John F. Gray	do Recorder	Recorder			1000 00
Courts.					
Supreme Court.					
William Mitchell	Justice Supreme Court } Allowed $2500 by the	The People			1500 00
James I. Roosevelt	do do } state and $8 p' day	do			1500 00
Henry E. Davies	do do } for services out of	do			1500 00
Thomas Clerke	do do } the county	do			1500 00
Charles Peabody	do do }	do			1500 00
Superior Court.					
Thomas J. Oakley	Chief Justice Superior Court	The People			5000 00
John Slosson	Associate do do	do			5000 00

Murray Hoffman	do do do	do	5000 00
John Duer	do do do	do	5000 00
Joseph S. Bosworth	do do do	do	5000 00
Lewis B. Woodruff	do do do	do	5000 00
Court of Common Pleas.			
D. P. Ingraham	First Judge, Common Pleas	The People	5000 00
Charles P. Daly	Associate Judge Common Pleas	do	5000 00
John R. Brady	do do do	do	5000 00
Marine Court.			
Albert A. Thompson	Justice Marine Court	The People	3000 00
A. K. Maynard	do do	do	3000 00
Florence McCarthy	do do	do	3000 00
Moses D. Gale	Clerk do	Board of Supervisors	2000 00
Justices' Courts.			
James Green	Justice, Ward Court	The People	2000 00
Bartholomew O'Connor	do do	do	2000 00
William B. Meech	do do	do	2000 00
William H. Van Cott	do do	do	2000 00
John Anderson, Jr.	do do	do	2000 00
Anson Willis	do do	do	1250 00
Thomas Pearson	do do	do	1250 00
I. B. Bachelor	Clerk, do	Mayor and Board of Aldermen	1250 00
Thomas F. Feers	do do	do do	1250 00
William E. Smith	do do	do do	1250 00
David Seaman	do do	do do	1250 00
Edward S. McPherson	do do	do do	1250 00
John White	do do	do do	1250 00
John L. Aubler	do do	do do	1250 00
County Clerk's Office,			
Richard B. Connolly	County Clerk	The People	3000 00
David A. Fowler	Deputy County Clerk	County Clerk	1500 00
Benjamin Cohen	Assistant do do	do	1000 00
William Sinclair	Clerk Supreme Court in Equity	do	1000 00
Horatio P. Carr	do do do at Law	do	1000 00

NAMES.	OFFICES.	BY WHOM APPOINTED.	COMPENSATION.		
			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL.
William H. Duenberry	Clerk General Term Supreme Court	County Clerk			$1000 00
D. J. Clatfield	Clerk Special Term	do			1000 00
Allen M. Shiffelin	Clerk Circuit Court	do			1000 00
Theodore M. Squires	Book-keeper	do			800 00
Albert G. Wallace	Clerk at Chambers, Supreme Court	do			850 00
John M. French	Recording Clerk	do			750 00
John Martin	do do	do			750 00
James Megary	do do	do			750 00
R. C. Beamish	do do	do			750 00
Charles Kipp	do do	do			750 00
James Waldron	do do	do			600 00
John Poynton	do do	do			600 00
North West	General Clerk	do			750 00
John E. Kelly	Messenger	do			450 00
Office of Clerk of Court of Common Pleas					
Benjamin H. Jarvis	Clerk of Court of Common Pleas	Court			2500 00
Nathaniel Jarvis, Jr.	Deputy Clerk	Clerk of Court			1500 00
R. J. Clark	Clerk to General Term	do			1000 00
Richard S. Cumming	Clerk Trial Term, Part First	do			1000 00
H. M. Herrick	do do Part Second	do			1000 00
Thomas Boese	Clerk at Chambers	do			1000 00
John Brown	Naturalization Clerk	do			900 00
——— ———	Assistant Clerk	do			800 00
Register's Office.					
John J. Doane	Register	The People	Fees.		
Thomas C. Acton	Deputy Register	Register	"		
Lewis H. Watts	Assistant do	do	"		
Henry Miller	Searcher	do	"		
John J. Wilson	do	do	"		

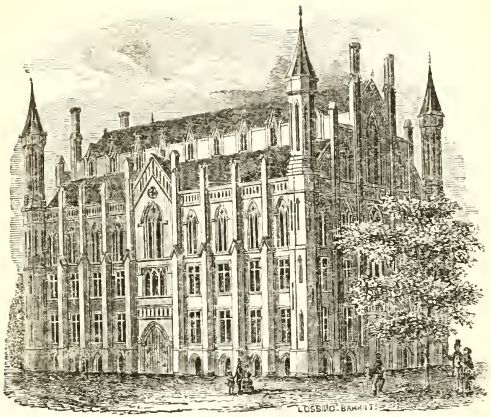
William H. Bell	do	do	"		
Henry Stevens	do	do	"		
Edward W. De Grove	do	do	"		
George Mortimer	Satisfaction Clerk	do	"		
Nelson J. Samson	Examiner	do	"		
William F. T. Chapman	Recording Clerk	do	"		
Benjamin C. Dean	do do	do	"		
Alfred E. Crooker	do do	do	"		
William Peel	do do	do	"		
Charles Foote	do do	do	"		
Henry Pratt	do do	do	"		
Jeremiah Petty	do do	do	"		
Samuel Brevoort	do do	do	"		
Abram C. Dayton	do do	do	"		
John J. Shaw	do do	do	"		
Samuel Jones	do do	do	"		
John Ahern	do do	do	"		
James J. Kelso	do do	do	"		
Maurice Otter	do do	do	"		
M. O. Kelly	do do	do	"		
B. C. Dean	do do	do	"		
Dayton Britton	do do	do	"		
William F. Gilley	do do	do	"		
J. H Barleson	do do	do	"		
L. G. Evans	do do	do	"		
Abram C. Dayton	do do	do	"		
William J. Davis	do do	do	"		
William Dodge	do do	do	"		
Ephraim Reed	do do	do	"		
Philip H. Jonas	Collector	do	"		
Jesse Mitchell	Messenger	do	"		
Surrogate's Office.					
A. W. Bradford	Surrogate	The People			5000 00
Gabriel Van Cott	Chief Clerk	do			1000 00
Cornelius Minor	General Clerk	do			1000 00
William Ripley	Recording Clerk	do	Fees.		
Charles S. Riblet	do do	do	"		

NAMES.	OFFICES.	BY WHOM APPOINTED.	COMPENSATION.		
			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL.
——— ———	Recording Clerk	The People	Fees.		
David R. Jacques	Engrossing Clerk	Surrogate	"		
——— ———	Porter	do			$60 00
Office Clerk Superior Court.					
George T. Maxwell	Clerk	Justice Superior Court			2500 00
Jesse Oakley	Deputy Clerk	Clerk Superior Court			1200 00
Henry H. Rice	Deputy Clerk in Equity	do do			1200 00
Peter Lemon	Assistant do	do do			800 00
George Eadie	do do	do do			800 00
William Haviland	do do	do do			900 00
Commissioner of Jurors.					
U. D. French	Commissioner of Jurors	Board of Supervisors and Judges of Superior Court and Court of Common Pleas			1500 00
Office of Clerk of Board of Education.					
A. Gilbert	Clerk, Board of Education	Board of Education			2000 00
William Oland Bourne	Deputy Clerk	do do			1500 00
Robert S. Hart	do do	do do			1250 00
Thomas T. Bennett	Assistant Clerk	do do			850 00
Charles E. Pierce	do do	do do			1000 00
Charles H. Gilbert	do do	do do			700 00
Samuel S. Randall	City Superintendent of Schools	do do			2500 00
Henry Kiddle	Assistant do do	do do			1800 00
Samuel W. Seton	do do do	do do			1800 00
John Killalee	Porter	do do			500 00
Attendants on Courts.					
Supreme.					
Henry Bertholf	Attendant on Supreme Court	Board of Supervisors and the Court.			700 00
Ambrose De Fries	do do	do do			700 00

Nathaniel Hepburn	do	do	do	do	700 00
B. W. Buchanan	do	do	do	do	700 00
S. Rowland	do	do	do	do	700 00
John F. Skidmore	do	do	do	do	700 00
Joseph P. Smith	do	do	do	do	700 00
Edward Knight	do	do	do	do	700 00
Richard Kimmins	do	do	do	do	700 00
William Harnett	do	do	do	do	700 00
R. W. Bishop	do	do	do	do	700 00
Superior.					
Leonard Hoffman	Attendant on Superior Court		Board of Supervisors and the Court		700 00
Samuel S. Acker	do	do	do	do	700 00
Charles U. Combs	do	do	do	do	700 00
James G. Kent	do	do	do	do	700 00
Charles Goblin	do	do	do	do	700 00
James Ryan	do	do	do	do	700 00
Thomas Ryan	do	do	do	do	700 00
John Reid	do	do	do	do	700 00
Thomas F. Jackson	do	do	do	do	700 00
Jesse Wood	do	do	do	do	700 00
Jonathan N. Odell	do	do	do	do	700 00
Common Pleas.					
S. W. Dusenbery	Attendant on Court of Common Pleas		Board of Supervisors and the Court		700 00
Edward A. Davis	do	do	do	do	700 00
John Cooper	do	do	do	do	700 00
Allen McKeachine	do	do	do	do	700 00
W. H. Brown	do	do	do	do	700 00
John Major	do	do	do	do	700 00
William Meehan	do	do	do	do	700 00
Timothy Weeks	do	do	do	do	700 00
John Meigs	do	do	do	do	700 00
Marine Court.					
John Garrett	Attendant on Marine Court		Board of Supervisors and the Court		700 00
P. Lawless	do	do	do	do	700 00
T. Kellin	do	do	do	do	700 00

NAMES.	OFFICES.	BY WHOM APPOINTED.	COMPENSATION.		
			FEES.	PER DIEM.	ANNUAL
H Whitehead	Attendant on Marine Court	Board of Supervisors and the Court			$700 00
S. S. Thompson	do do	do do			700 00
W. F. Bishop	do do	do do			700 00
G. C. Maynard	do do	do do			700 00
D. G. Gale	do do	do do			700 00
E. Shandley	do do	do do			700 00
*Forty-four Assessors		The People			

* Compensation fixed each year by the Board of Supervisors.



FEEE ACADEMY.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

OF THE

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

Composed of the Commissioners of Common Schools, elected from each Ward.

January, 1857.

COMMISSIONERS OF COMMON SCHOOLS.

Ward.	
1.	Josiah W. Brown, Samuel Auld.
2.	John Hooper, George Niven.
3.	William H. Avery, Vincent N. Lecompte.
4.	John Ware, Eugene Shine.
5.	James M. Tuthill, William B. Eager, jr.,
6.	Walter Roche, William Sinclair.
7.	Abraham Denike, William M. Tweed.
8.	Eliphalet Bootman, John R. Lydecker.
9.	Albert Smith, Provost S. Haines.
10.	Daniel Slote, George H. Clark.

Ward.	
11.	George White, Aaron B. Rollins.
12.	Abraham V. Williams, James Mackean.
13.	Stephen Brooker, Jonathan L. Scofield.
14.	Thomas Boese, Andrew H. Green.
15.	Richard Burlew, Erastus C. Benedict.
16.	Isaac W. Smith, William Jay Haskett.
17.	James F. Henry, Richard C. Fellows.
18.	Simeon Baldwin, William H. Neilson.
19.	Richard S. Gray, Terence Farley.
20.	Nelson J. Waterbury, William Monteith.
21.	Lafayette Ranney, John Davenport.
22.	Joseph Edwards, David B. Kerr.

Andrew H. Green, *President.*
Albert Gilbert, *Clerk.*

STANDING COMMITTEES, 1857.

1.—*Executive Committee on Free Academy.*

Mr. Williams, Mr. Tuthill,
Mr. Boese, Mr. Baldwin,
Mr. Ranney, Mr. Tweed,
Mr. Fellows.

2.—*Executive Committee on Normal Schools.*

Mr. Davenport, Mr. Lydecker,
Mr. Eager, Mr. Rollins,
Mr. Kerr, Mr. Scofield,
Mr. Roche.

3.—*Executive Committee on Evening Schools.*

Mr. White, Mr. Farley,
Mr. A. Smith, Mr. Slote,
Mr. Bootman, Mr. Sinclair,
Mr. Ware.

4.—*Committee on Annual Apportionment and Report.*

Mr. Benedict, Mr. Waterbury,
Mr. Auld, Mr. Niven,
Mr. Henry.

5.—*Finance Committee.*

Mr. Burlew, Mr. Brooker,
Mr. Denike, Mr. Hooper,
Mr. Auld.

6.—*Committee on New Schools.*

Mr. Neilson, Mr. Williams,
Mr. Baldwin, Mr. Lecomte,
Mr. Clark.

7.—*Committee on Sites and School-houses.*

Mr. Tuthill, Mr. Lydecker,
Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Rollins,
Mr. Shine.

8.—*Committee on School Furniture.*

Mr Tweed, Mr. Haines,
Mr Brown, Mr. Mackean,
Mr. Scofield.

9.—*Committee on Warming and Ventilation.*

Mr. Monteith, Mr. Avery,
Mr. Clark, Mr. Edwards,
Mr. Mackean.

10.—*Committee on Repairs.*

Mr. Denike, Mr. Eager,
Mr. Bootman, Mr. Brooker,
Mr. Roche.

11.—*Committee on Supplies.*

Mr. Davenport, Mr. Boese,
Mr. Slote, Mr. Farley,
Mr. White.

12.—*Auditing Committee.*

Mr. Lydecker, Mr. Henry,
Mr. Davenport, Mr. Mackean,
Mr. Haines.

13.—*Committee on By-Laws.*

Mr. Baldwin, Mr. Boese,
Mr. A. Smith, Mr. Tuthill,
Mr. Benedict.

14.—*Committee on Elections and Qualifications.*

Mr. Waterbury, Mr. I. W. Smith,
Mr. Haskett, Mr. Kerr,
Mr. Ramney.

15.—*Committee on Correspondence.*

Mr. Henry, Mr. Hooper,
Mr. Brown, Mr. Brooker,
Mr. Avery.

16.—*Committee on the Course of Study and School Books.*

Mr. Haskett, Mr. Neilson,
Mr. Hooper, Mr. Williams,
Mr. Gray.

17.—*Committee on Teachers.*

Mr. I. W. Smith, Mr. Neilson,
Mr. Monteith, Mr. Kerr,
Mr. Haskett.

18.—*Committee on Salaries and Offices.*

Mr. Brown, Mr. I. W. Smith,
Mr. Clark, Mr. Lecomte,
Mr. Burlew.

19.—*Committee on Libraries.*

Mr. Fellows, Mr. Waterbury,
Mr. A. Smith, Mr. Ware,
Mr. Gray.

20.—*Committee on Free Scholarships.*

Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Gray,
Mr. Niven, Mr. Edwards,
Mr. Shine.

FREE ACADEMY.

Twenty-third street, corner of Lexington avenue.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Abraham V. Williams, Lafayette Ranney,
James M. Tuthill, Richard O. Fellows,
Thomas Boese, Simeon Baldwin,
William M. Tweed.

OFFICERS.

Principal.....Horace Webster, LL D.
Vice-Principal.....John Jason Owen, D.D.
Librarian.....John Graeff Barton, A.M.
Registrar.....Joseph Oakley Nodyne, A.M.
Janitor.....Nicholas Seeber.

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Horace Webster, LL.D, President of the Faculty, and Professor of Moral, Intellectual and Political Philosophy.

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Wolcott Gibbs, M.D., Professor of Chemistry and Physics.

Gerardus Beekman Docharty, LL.D., Professor of Mathematics, and Secretary of the Faculty.

John Augustus Nichols, A.M., Professor of Natural Philosophy.

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Charles Edward Anthon, A.M., Professor of History and Belles Lettres.

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George Washington Huntsman, A.M., Assistant Professor in Moral, Intellectual and Political Philosophy.

Joseph Howard Palmer, A.M., Tutor in Mathematics.

William Beinhauer Silber, A.M., Tutor in the Latin and Greek Languages and Literature.

Benjamin Arad Sheldon, A.B., Tutor in Mathematics.

Alfred George Compton, A.M., Tutor in Mathematics.

John Hardy, A.M., Tutor in the Latin and Greek Languages and Literature.

Hector Mudry, J.U.D., Tutor in the French Language and Literature.

Lewis Condit Bayles, A.B., Tutor in the Latin and Greek Languages and Literature.

Charles Henry Pratt, A.B., Tutor in the English Language and Literature.

Arthur McMullen, A.B., Tutor in Mathematics.

Franklin Samuel Rising, A.B., Tutor in History and Belles Lettres.

Russell Sturgis, Jr., A.B., Tutor in Drawing and Mathematics.

Casimir Fabrigou, A.B., Tutor in the French Language and Literature.

The Free Academy of the city of New York was established in 1848 by the Board of Education of the city of New York, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State, passed May 7, 1847, for the purpose of providing higher education for such pupils of the Common Schools as may avail themselves of its advantages. It is under the general superintendence of the Board of Education; but it is specially under the supervision of an Executive Committee, appointed by the Board, for its care, government and management. All its expenses for instruction, apparatus, library, cabinet collections, books and stationery, are paid out of the public Treasury.

No student can be admitted to the Academy unless he reside in the city, be fourteen years of age, shall have attended the Common Schools in the city twelve months, and shall pass a good examination in

Spelling,	Reading,
Writing,	English Grammar,
Geography,	Elementary Book-keeping,
Arithmetic,	

History of the United States, and Algebra, as far as quadratic equations, inclusive, and five books Plane Geometry, and the Constitution of the United States.

Students who remove from the city lose the privileges of the Academy.

The classes are annual, and the full course of study embraces five years.

The exercises, during term-time, continue daily (except Saturday and Sunday,) from a quarter before nine o'clock, A. M., to three o'clock, P.M.

The Board of Education is authorized by law to confer the usual collegiate degrees on the recommendation of the Faculty.

Graduates may become Resident Graduates, and continue their studies at option.

NORMAL SCHOOLS.

Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ON NORMAL SCHOOLS.

John Davenport. Aaron B. Rollins.
William B. Eager, jr., Jonathan L. Scofield.
David B. Kerr. John R. Lydecker,
Walter Roche.

INSTRUCTORS.

LEONARD HAZELTINE, *Principal.*

Female Normal School.

SUSAN WRIGHT, *Vice-Principal.*

John H. Fanning, Sarah A. Bunker,
David B. Scott, Clara M. Edmonds,
William Belden, jr., Rosina J. Hartman,
James H. Partridge, Henrietta Dutch,
Thomas F. Harrison, Margaretta L. Marston,
Michael J. O'Donnell, Annie Bamman,
William Smeaton, Anna M. Marsh,
(Vacancy.) Frances E. A. Guteh.

Male Normal School.

David Patterson. William H. Wood.
(Vacancy.)

Colored Normal School.

John Peterson.

Daily Normal School.

Susan Wright, *Principal.*

Margaret S. Arnout, S. Elizabeth Verrinder,
Eliza T. Burns, (Vacancy.)

George Bachelor—*Teacher of French.*
J. B. Stearns—*Teacher of Drawing.*
George H. Curtis—*Teacher of Music.*

SCHOOL OFFICERS.

VICTOR M. RICE.
State Superintendent of Public Instruction,
Albany, New York.

SAMUEL S. RANDALL.
City Superintendent of Schools.
88 East Thirty-first street.

HENRY KIDDLE,
Assistant Superintendent,
190 East Nineteenth street.

SAMUEL W. SETON,
Assistant Superintendent,
37 Irving place.

WILLIAM JONES, Jr.,
Assistant Superintendent.
36 Orchard street.

COMMISSIONERS, INSPECTORS, AND TRUSTEES OF COMMON SCHOOLS.

February 1st, 1857.

	Time expires.		Time expires.
FIRST WARD—*Commissioners*.			
Josiah W. Brown	Dec. 31, 1857	Samuel Auld	Dec. 31, 1858
Inspectors.			
John H. Williams	" 1857	John O'Grady	" 1858
Trustees.			
(Vacancy)	" 1857	John Healy	" 1859
B. F. Weymouth	" 1857	Thomas Byrnes	" 1859
Jonas Bartlett	" 1858	John Scott	" 1869
J. Clitz Morrison	" 1858	Leopold Lorenz	" 1869
SECOND WARD—*Commissioners*.			
John Hooper	" 1857	George Niven	" 1858
Inspectors.			
(Vacancy)	" 1857	Wm. Cameron	" 1858
Trustees.			
Tobias C. O'Connor	" 1857	(Vacancy)	" 1859
(Vacancy)	" 1857	(Vacancy)	" 1859
G Hermance	" 1858	(Vacancy)	" 1860
Theodore G. Chambers	" 1858	Thomas Smith	" 1860
THIRD WARD—*Commissioners*.			
William H. Avery	" 1857	Vincent N. Lecompte.	" 1858
Inspectors.			
William H. Crossman.	" 1857	Amos Stoakey	" 1858

Trustees.

	Time expires.		Time expires
Charles St. John....	Dec. 31, 1857	James A. Mandeville.	Dec. 31, 1859
Nicholas L. Ludlum..	" 1857	Melvin Parkhurst.....	" 1859
W. L. Ellsworth, Sr.	" 1858	Edward B. Hatch.....	" 1860
Jonathan G. Broome .	" 1858	(Vacancy).....	" 1860

FOURTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

John J. Ware.....	" 1857	Eugene Shine.....	" 1858

Inspectors.

William Cleary.....	" 1857	George W. Casserly...	" 1858

Trustees.

Lambert A. Phillips ..	" 1857	Andrew Cusack.....	" 1859
Thomas Fitzgerald....	" 1857	James M. Sheehan....	" 1859
James Reilly.....	" 1858	Oliver O'Donnell.....	" 1860
Chris. Kassenbrock....	" 1858	John Oliver	" 1860

FIFTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

James M. Tuthill.....	" 1857	William B. Eager, jr.	" 1858

Inspectors.

James S. Scofield.....	" 1857	(Vacancy).....	" 1858

Trustees.

Seth Grosvenor.....	" 1857	James M. Wilson.....	" 1859
(Vacancy).....	" 1857	Charles C. Curtis.....	" 1859
Albert L. De Camp...	" 1858	James B. Dupignac....	" 1860
Charles C. Nott.....	" 1858	William Kemble.....	" 1860

SIXTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Walter Roche.....	" 1857	William Sinclair.....	" 1858

Inspectors.

Thomas Clark.....	" 1857	Richard Barry.....	" 1858

Trustees.

Patrick H. O'Neil.....	" 1857	Timothy Brennan.....	" 1859
Edward J. McGloin...	" 1857	George Pearson.....	" 1859
Patrick Fitzgerald	" 1858	(Vacancy).....	" 1860
Charles Fischer.....	" 1858	Henry T. Gallagher...	" 1860

SEVENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Abraham Denike	" 1857	William M. Tweed...	" 1858

Inspectors.

William S. Tuers.....	" 1857	David P. Arnold	" 1858

Trustees.

Wade B. Worrall.....	" 1857	Thomas Lawler.....	" 1859
James P. Bremner....	" 1857	Thomas Williams.....	" 1859
Zebulon C. Inslee.....	" 1858	Richard B. Connolly..	" 1860
George W. King	" 1858	Bernard Smyth.....	" 1860

EIGHTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

	Time expires.		Time expires.
Eliphalet Bootman....	Dec. 31, 1857	John R. Lydecker....	Dec. 31, 1858

Inspectors.

Charles C. Dyer.....	" 1857	James Merrifield.....	" 1858

Trustees.

James S. Burnton	" 1857	Alex. M. L. Scott ...	" 1859
William Forbes	" 1857	Henry A. Morgan	" 1859
William Westerfield..	" 1858	S. J. Montgomery....	" 1860
David A. Fowler	" 1858	Robert T. Wild	" 1860

NINTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Albert Smith.....	Dec. 31, 1857	Provost Haines.....	" 1858

Inspectors.

John D. King	" 1857	C. E. Gildersleeve ...	" 1858

Trustees.

James W. Booth.....	" 1857	McDonough Bucklin..	" 1859
Jacob C. Bogert.....	" 1857	Henry P. See	" 1859
James H. Townsend ..	" 1858	Alex. H. Keech.....	" 1860
Charles S. Wright....	" 1858	Wash. Irving Adams..	" 1860

TENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Daniel Slote.....	Dec. 31, 1857	George H. Clark.....	" 1858

Inspectors.

Asa Parker.....	" 1857	M. H. Underhill	" 1858

Trustees.

Francis Miller.....	" 1857	Jacob Raynor	" 1859
Joseph M. Bell.....	" 1857	Theodore Ward.....	" 1859
Charles L. Brower....	" 1858	Benjamin H. Willis...	" 1860
Charles E. Pierce.....	" 1858	Peter Parks	" 1860

ELEVENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

George White.....Dec. 31, 1857		Aaron B. Rollins.....	" 1858

Inspectors.

James H Brennan....	" 1857	James Marshall.....	" 1858

Trustees.

Dennis Garrison.....	" 1857	John Pickford	" 1859
John Anderson, jr....	" 1857	Samuel S. Acker.....	" 1859
William Cummings...	" 1858	John Mason	" 1860
Charles Perley.....	" 1858	Samuel Gillis.....	" 1860

TWELFTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

A. V. Williams.....Dec. 31, 1857		James MacKean	" 1858

Inspectors.

Henry Patterson.....	" 1857	H. B. Perkins.....	" 1858

Trustees.

	Time expires.		Time expires.
Dennis Sadlier.....	Dec. 31, 1857	H. H. Gregory.....	Dec. 31, 1859
Wm. S. Jennings	" 1857	Blazius Ryer	" 1859
Gilbert C. Hebbard...	" 1858	James Davis.....	" 1860
John Vance.....	" 1858	John Bellamy.....	" 1860

THIRTEENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Stephen Brooker.....	Dec. 31, 1857	Jonathan L. Scofield..	" 1858

Inspectors.

Thomas Young.....	" 1857	Lewis Withington	" 1858

Trustees.

John Marrener	" 1857	Henry Bausher	" 1859
James Cunningham...	" 1857	Jacob M. Vreeland...	" 1859
Alonzo G. Reynolds...	" 1858	George Roberts.....	" 1860
John Belch.....	" 1858	Wm. D. McManus....	" 1860

FOURTEENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Thomas Boese.....	Dec. 31, 1857	Andrew H. Green	" 1858

Inspectors.

Henry Mamon.....	" 1857	Patrick Brennan.....	" 1858

Trustees.

Patrick Dolan.....	" 1857	John Freel.....	" 1859
James O'Neil.....	" 1857	James H. Perkins	" 1859
James Lynch	" 1858	Henry P. West.....	" 1860
James Mulligan.....	" 1858	David Hastings.....	" 1860

FIFTEENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Richard Burlew.....	Dec. 31, 1857	Erastus C. Benedict...	" 1858

Inspectors.

John P. Crosby.....	" 1857	John M. Knox	" 1858

Trustees.

Edward L. Beadle.....	" 1857	Joseph B. Varnum, jr.	" 1859
Wm. W. Blakeman ..	" 1857	Samuel Hotaling	" 1859
James D. Oliver.....	" 1858	Eli Goodwin	" 1860
Linus W. Stevens	" 1858	Thomas Denny	" 1860

SIXTEENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Isaac William Smith..	Dec. 31, 1857	William Jay Haskett..	" 1858

Inspectors.

L. A. Rosenmiller....	" 1857	Samuel Osgood.....	" 1858

Trustees.

Charles P. Edwards ..	" 1857	Edmund H. Miller...	" 1859
Charles Donohue.....	" 1857	Samuel Moore.....	" 1859
Jeremiah E. Carey ...	" 1858	Alexander Ming	" 1860
James Cassidy.....	" 1858	Thomas Christy	" 1860

SEVENTEENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

	Time expires.		Time expires.
James F. Henry.....	Dec. 31, 1857	Richard C. Fellows,..	Dec. 31, 1858

Inspectors.

Joseph Whitehead....	" 1857	George A. Jeremiah ..	" 1858

Trustees.

Joseph C. Pinckney...	" 1857	Nathan C. Ely.....	" 1859
John Lloyd.....	" 1857	Wm. H. Vandenhoff..	" 1859
William H. Riblet ...	" 1858	Smith Ely, jr.....	" 1860
J. C. Chamberlain....	" 1858	John Dymond.....	" 1860

EIGHTEENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Simeon Baldwin.....	Dec. 31, 1857	William H. Neilson...	" 1858

Inspectors.

James W. Gerard.....	" 1857	Henry Quackenboss...	" 1858

Trustees.

Alex. M. Lawrence ..	" 1857	William K. Strong ...	" 1859
A Bleecker Neilson...	" 1857	James M. Edney	" 1859
C. Delafield Smith....	" 1858	Charles G. Murch	" 1860
John H. Burleson.....	" 1858	J. Bryant Smith.....	" 1860

NINETEENTH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Richard S. Gray.....	Dec. 31, 1857	Terrence Farley	" 1858

Inspectors.

Charles L. Frost	" 1857	John H Riker.....	" 1858

Trustees.

Stephen M. Drew.....	" 1857	Charles Smithson.....	" 1859
Sevron D. Moulton ...	" 1857	William J, Plows.....	" 1859
George W. Beebe.....	" 1858	William H. Rich	" 1860
Henry B Bolster.....	" 1858	Daniel Gallagher	" 1860

TWENTIETH WARD—*Commissioners.*

Nelson J. Waterbury..	Dec. 31, 1857	William Monteith.....	" 1858

Inspectors.

Charles Darragh.....	" 1857	John G. Butler.....	" 1858

Trustees.

Philo V. Beebe.....	" 1857	Edwin Dobbs.....	" 1859
Hubbard G. Stone....	" 1857	Casper Myers.....	" 1859
James Kearney	" 1858	Henry Larkin.....	" 1860
Robert T. Creamer ...	" 1858	(Vacancy)...	" 1860

TWENTY-FIRST WARD—*Commissioners.*

La Fayette Rannoy...	Dec. 31, 1857	John Davenport.....	" 1858

Inspectors.

Lewis S. Thomas	" 1857	Elias H. Herrick	" 1858

Trustees.

	Time expires.		Time expires.
John Stephenson	Dec. 31, 1857	Richard Kelly	Dec. 31, 1859
James Owens	" 1857	B. B. Atterbury	" 1859
R. Stanberry	" 1858	Napoleon B. Mountfort	" 1860
H. M. Scheffelin	" 1858	Edmund F. Rogers	" 1860

TWENTY-SECOND WARD—*Commissioners.*

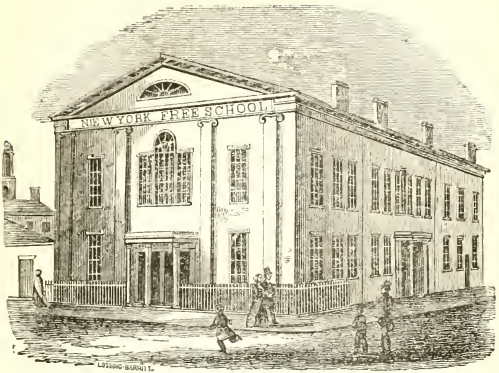
Joseph Edwards	Dec. 31, 1857	David B. Kerr	" 1858

Inspectors.

Abijah Ingraham	" 1857	Valentine Ruppert	" 1858

Trustees.

William Holmes	" 1857	John F. Fay	" 1859
John Kelly	" 1857	Patrick Murphy	" 1859
Nathaniel S. Wing	" 1858	Matthews Helek	" 1860
William Dealing, jr	" 1858	John Adams	" 1860



Free School No. 2, Tryon row and Chatham street, erected in 1805; torn down in 1839, on improvement of Centre street.

WARD SCHOOLS

UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE SEVERAL WARDS IN WHICH THEY ARE LOCATED.

TEACHERS.

Ward School No. 1—Fourth Ward.

245 William street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
William W. Smith,	Cornelia Honeywell,	Harriet M. Megie,
Edward A. Walsh,	M. Anna Gilfillan,	Martha S. Brennan,
M. H. Keily,	Mary J. O'Leary,	Caroline A. Baker,
George F. Wickes,	Emilie J. Edison,	Rose T. Martin,
Helena Raymond,	Jane E. Irvine,	Teresa M. Gill,
Lucy M. O'Donnell,	Anna M. Cudlipp.	Emily E. McCullum.
Mary A. Mahoney.		

J. W. Alden, Music.

Ward School No. 2—Seventh Ward.

176 Henry street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Charles H. Kimball,	Frances Westervelt,	Sarah Conklin,
William J. Goldey,	Isabel Richards,	Sarah L. Dean,

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Jacob Fehrmann,	Henrietta Hull,	Elizabeth McDougal,
Henry A. E. McCartie,	Emilie Wilson,	Elizabeth Blanchard,
Margaret A. Barnum,	Olivia D Michaels,	Eliza C. Budd,
Eliza M. Phelps,	Catharine M. Postley,	Adaline E. Anderson.
Mary J. Currier,	Catharine M. Williams,	Harriet A. Budd,
Mary J. Gildersleeve,	Emma Cole.	Sophia Cook,
Victoria J. Ranney.		Maria L. Romer.

GEORGE W. PETTIT, Music.

Ward School No. 3—Ninth Ward.
Corner Hudson and Grove sts.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
David Patterson,	Isabella McCormick,	Mary C. Brombush,
Benj D. Southerland,	Elizabeth E. Pope,	Sarah J. Dornan,
William W. Holder,	Deb. E. Wainwright,	Mary J. Davis,
George A. Hall,	Catharine Buxton,	Regina Warren,
Louisa Barton,	Sarah J. Ingersoll,	Sarah M. George,
Eliza A Hannon,	Eliza J. Birch,	Josephine Weeks,
Mary A. King.	Elizabeth Scudder,	Jane M. Hill,
	Emma J. Cavannah,	Caroline Wilson,
	James A. Johnson.	Louisa D. Orsay.

Ward School No. 4—Thirteenth Ward.
203 Rivington street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
J. D. Demilt,	Catharine White,	Emily A. White,
O. W. Feeks,	Jane Moore,	Eleanor S. Northrup,
J. C. Devoy,	Harriet N Howland,	Sarah E. Bertine,
Amanda M. Roberts	Martha Rhoades,	Kate A. Marston,
Margaret Miller,	Louisa Mosher,	Mary A. Leuba,
Harriet J. Ross,	Harriet F. De Long,	Mary J. Blair,
Augusta Seofield,	Albertine Cooley,	Sarah L. Shields,
Sarah Baldwin,	Ann Cushing,	Mary I. Robinson,
Nancy Mosher.	Emily E. McKinney.	Jeannette Robertson,
		Adelia A. Cook,
		Ann M. Robertson,
		Lucy A Roberts,
		Desire L. Edmonds.

JOSEPH WODZINSKI, Draughtsman.

Ward School No. 5—Fourteenth Ward.
222 Mott street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
M. J. O'Donnell,	Charlotte A. Purdy,	Mary T. Shepard,
M. A. Curran,	Mary J. Dowlin,	Margaret A. Mather,

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Thomas Moore,	Amanda S. Marston,	Adelia M. Perkins,
James Toal.	Caroline C. Wakefield.	Mary Perham.

Francis Melville, Drawing.

Ward School No. 6—Twelfth Ward.

Randall's Island.

Male.	*Primary.*
Thomas P. Okie,	Susan F. R. Jackson,
Harriet J. Craven,	Sarah I. Linderman,
Mary E. Bryant,	Mary A. Greene,
Sarah L. Payne,	Elizabeth Wilson,
S. Almina Allen.	Mary Elizabeth Hammond.

Ward School No. 7—Tenth Ward.

60 Chrystie street.

Male.	*Female.*
Samuel D. Allison,	Sarah A. Bunker,
Jacob T. Boyle,	Mary A. Hannah,
Henry A. E. McCartie,	Ellen L. Chapman,
George Umpbleby,	Mary C. Kennard,
Clarissa A. Root,	Anna E. Watkins,
Harriet E. Irwin,	Catharine M. Reed,
Lucy C. Hooker.	Sophia M. Adler.

Ward School No. 8—Eighth Ward.

66 Grand street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Cornelius A. Cooper,	Harriet Bartine,	Eliza Mullen.
Sylvester G. Penfield,	Elizabeth F. King,	Ann E. Brower,
Catharine Kane,	Eliza Veiteh,	Mary F. Burgyes,
Christina L. Dugan.	Catharine L. Conant.	Letitia Cassidy,
		Catharine A. Kohler,
		Susan A. Birmingham.

Ward School No. 9—Twenty-second Ward.

Eighty-second street and Eleventh avenue.

Male.	*Female.*
John D. Robinson,	Catharine Jollie,
Henry W. Smith,	Frances Day,
Maria Jasper.	Emily S. Hanaway.

Francis H. Nash, Music.

Ward School No. 10—Fifteenth Ward.

(FOR BOYS ONLY.)

180 Wooster street.

Male.	*Primary.*
George Moore,	Alvira S. Beach,
William H. Storrs,	Caroline Birch,
Galen C. Thatcher.	Rachel A. Griffin,
	Anna Lineback,
	Marion A. Bliven,
	Anna B. Emmerson.

Ward School No. 11—Sixteenth Ward

Seventeenth street, near Eighth avenue.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
John G. McNary,	Mary S. Preston,	Abby N. Beale,
Alonzo Hopper,	Elvira A. Maintain,	Elizabeth Beale,
Charles T. Wright,	Mary E. Savage,	Amelia DeBaun,
Russell Raymond,	Mary E. Clark,	Jennie A. Fleming,
Jonathan D. Hyatt,	S. Victoria Walsh,	Mary E. Phelan,
Margaret A. Boak,	Serena A. Goodwin,	M. Gertrude White,
Victoria M. Graham,	Margaret J. Parr,	Harriet S. Hawley,
Agnes Jackson,	Matilda Panzer,	Stephania Lawson,
E. Caroline Kopper,	Annie E. Thompson,	Mary E. Bishop,
Eliza Wood.	Anna A. Rogers.	Harriet F. Howe,
		Phebe Conklin,
		Mary T. Vandervoort,
		Mary J. McFarlane,
		Mary McEntee,
		Rosalia Blum.

J. C. WOODMAN, Music. JAS. HYATT, Lecturer.

Ward School No. 12—Seventh Ward.

371 Madison street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
John H. Fanning,	Anna M Marsh,	Eliza Jarvis,
Robert J. Furney,	Matilda Mosher,	Nancy E. Hoyt,
Oscar Hinchman,	Mary M. Ryckman,	Susan McAuley,
Maria A. Cother,	Deborah Weeks,	Julia M. Knight,
Augustus B. Sage,	Louisa Peters,	Sarah A. Ball,
Eliza J. Evans,	Sarah Ganun,	Rebecca S. Lowrie,
Charlotte F. Glover.	Martha Moore.	Annie M. Glassier,
		Sarah L. Harris.

GEORGE W. PETTIT, Music.

Ward School No. 13—Seventeenth Ward.

298 Houston street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Leonard Hazeltine,	Georgiana M. Watson,	Mary L. Harris,
Robert H Pettigrew,	Sarah Jane De Grove,	Catharine Smith,
G. W. Streeter,	Prudence Sill,	Esther E. Noe,
Mary D. Johnson,	Sarah E. Crane,	Anna E. Van Vorst.
Mary J. McCoy.	Marietta Egbert.	F. E. Bruninghausen,
		Mary A. Riley,
		Caroline E. Noe.

Ward School No. 14—Twenty-first Ward.

Twenty-seventh street, near Third avenue.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Lafayette Olney,	Caroline F. Whiting,	Catharine H. Myers,
John A. Graves,	Mary J. Whiting,	Martha Doak,
John Macfarlan,	Mary Turner,	Julia V. Hall,
Rosina G. Hartmann,	Anna A. Dayton,	Emily J. Edwards,
Mary Gordon,	Hester C. Platt,	Victoria J. Knight,
Frances J. Graham,	Sara H. Hazeltine,	Elizabeth W. St. John,
Susan Sparling,	Caroline F. Elwell.	Emma J. Smith,
James R. Pettigrew.		Mahala A. Hoag,
		Margaret Stewart.

F. H. Marsh, Music.

Ward School No. 15—Eleventh Ward.

289 Fifth street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
N. P. Beers,	Urania Downs,	Mary J. Vanderhoof,
James J. McCoy,	Mary J. Patten,	Annie E. Ketcham,
Fred'k. M. Campbell,	Elizabeth Elting,	Annie L. Hayes,
Harriet Lockwood,	Annie A Wood,	Emma E. Fairfield,
Charlotte L Morgan.	Letty Burr,	Amanda Carman,
Hester J. Husted.	Sarah Messenger,	Euphemia Young,
Emma H. Skidmore.	Elizabeth Powers,	Melcena Van Etten,
Caroline Canfield,	Mary J Green,	Sarah C. Lewis,
Phebe E. Maybew.	Urania D. Secord.	Jane Schureman,
		Anna E. Gillis.

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Ward School No. 15—Ninth Ward.

Thirteenth street, near Seventh avenue.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Arthur Murphy,	Virginia M. Oakley,	Elizabeth Marsden,
Mary J. Mead,	Caroline A. Powers,	Amelia Linebeck,
Georgiana Harriott,	Emily Scudder,	Sarah Gordon,

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Jennette McLuskey,	Josephine R. Bailey,	Jane Thomas,
Josephine Adee.	Sarah A. Jackson,	Melissa Thorp.
	James A. Johnson.	

Ward School No 17—Twenty-second Ward.
Forty-seventh street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
James Monteith,	Amelia Kiersted,	Mary Oliver,
William A. E. Davis,	Caroline A. Masters,	Mary A. Updike,
Robert Burden,	Mary A. Haynes,	Susan C. Brick,
Mary M. Slater,	Jane Jollie,	Elizabeth T Lewis,
George A. Leonard,	Guilletta R. Kiersted,	Charity Dealing,
Frederick W. James,	Anna B Leggett,	Maria L Ackerman.
Frances J. Scarlett,	Isabella Dolmage,	Arabella Field,
Elizabeth D. Wilson.	Isabella Dickinson.	Phebe A. Ackerman.

Francis H. Nash, Music. Alphonse Gollier, French.

Ward School No. 18—Nineteenth Ward.
Fifty-first street, near Lexington avenue.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Euphrates Hirst,	Annie Bamman,	A. E. D. Rockwell,
L. B. Corey,	S. F. Miller,	C. C. Rockwell,
Thomas E. Cody,	A. M. S. Hathwaite,	S. Scanlan,
Morgiana Farrell.	A. L. Disbrow.	B. T. Foushour,
		Agnes M. Walsh,
		Ellen Drew.

Marcus Colburn, Music.

Ward School No. 19—Seventeenth Ward.
Corner of First avenue and Ninth street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
William Smeaton,	Caroline Hazeltine,	
William Herring,	Mary E. Hinton,	
John M. Forbes,	Jeanette Greig,	
Sarah E. Buckbee,	Anna M. Hazard,	Mary H. Tompkins,
Melinda N. Clarke,	Agnes McFarland,	Mary Trainor,
H. Elizabeth Truss,	Clara Norman,	Irene B. Miller,
Mary C Hepsburn,	Emma Wicker.	Kate Rogers,
Catharine A. Buckbee.		Rosanna Mullan,
		Clara Hopps.

Ward School No. 20—Tenth Ward.
Ludlow street, near Delancey.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Joseph W. Mather,	Martha Ames,	Annie Thomson,
Alexander Morehouse,	Margaret W. Tibbets,	Margaret T. Johnson,

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
William J. Kennard,	Eliza F. Knapp,	Mary O. Bell,
E. A. Young,	Sarah A. Fisher,	Mary G. King,
Jarvis Jennings,	Emeline Olzon,	Mary A. Hamilton,
M. Louisa Spader,	Harriet N. Hutchins,	Florinda Cornell,
H. Josephine Eddy,	Frances A. Hayes.	Emeline Voorhees,
Mary Buckden,		Elvira M. Gildersleeve,
Annie Hart.		Emeline Sproull.

William Minrath, German. Joseph Wodzinski, French.

Ward School No. 21—Fourteenth Ward.

Marion street, near Prince.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
John Boyle,	Maria J. Sweeny,	Fanny Willoughby,
Hugh Williamson,	Eleanor M. Cronin,	Catharine M. Conner,
William G. Raywood.	Helen C. O'Brien,	Josephine Searing,
John A. Slevin,	Elizabeth F. Battle	Emelie T. Rice,
William Byrne.		Susan McConnelogue,
		Mary Finnegan,
		Helena Connolly,
		Eliza Dunn.

Ward School No. 22—Eleventh Ward.

Corner of Stanton and Sheriff streets.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Seneca Durand,	Francis J. Murray,	Helen J. Nicholson,
Samuel H. P. Meigs,	Mary E. McGuire,	Frances H. Coleman,
Margaret Patterson,	Julia A. Bell,	Annie L. Darlington,
Mary E. Stoutenburg,	Clara Blasdell,	Cornelia J. Hartt,
Martha G. Seaman,	Anna M. Murray,	Eugenia Green,
Sarah E. Michaels,	Caroline A. Dunbar,	Mary E. Marshall,
Sidney W. Merritt.	Delia F. Lockwood,	Julia Orton,
	Cornelia Howe,	Julia C. Flanagan.
	Maria Hall.	

J. D. Knox, Music. Francis H. Nash, Music.

Ward School No 23—Sixth Ward.

26 and 28 City Hall place.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
William Mullany,	Catharine Duffy,	Anna C. McHugh,
Stenson McIver,	Mary D. Gallagher,	Joanna Toole,
Thomas Gibbons,	Rose M O'Neil,	Margaret McGrath,
William Sinclair,	Mary R. Dolan.	Eliza Riley,
Francis McHugh.		Mary A. McHugh.

S. Schuster, Drawing. M. F. Colburn, Music.

Ward School No. 24—Sixth Ward.

Elm street, near Leonard.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
James M. Sweeney,	Margaret A. McCosker,	Mary S. McDermott,
A. T. Gallagher,	Honoria D. Hogan,	Eliza M. F. McGrath,
James P. McIver,	Jane A. Grant,	Alicia M. Kearney,
H. P. O'Neil,	Frances B. Murray,	Catharine Gallagher,
John White.	Emma A. Sweeny.	Hannah E. Keating,
		Mary E. Fierty.

M. COLBURN, Music. JOHN CRUGER, French.

Ward School No. 25—Fourth Ward.

13 Oak street.

Upper Department.	*Boys, Primary.*	*Girls, Primary.*
Catharine Lynch,	C. M. Fitzgibbon,	E. M. Faye,
M. C. Canary.	H. T. Watson.	A. Goodrich.

J. EARLE, Music.

Ward School No. 25—Fourth Ward.

Corner Oliver and Henry streets.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Samuel S. St. John,	Catharine W. Griffin,	Eliza Reynolds,
John Halpin,	A. McNespie,	Margaret Donnegan,
Patrick C. Leany,	Annie L. O'Donnell,	Eliza McLaughlin,
Walter K. Ritch.	Mary C. Dougherty,	Mary A. Sweeny,
	Mary A O'Brien.	R. R. Cronley.

J. C. WOODMAN, Music.

Ward School No. 27—Fourth Ward.

74 Oliver street.

Male.	*Female.*
Emily B. Sleight,	Sarah Quinn,
Eleanor D. Irvine,	Isabella M. Condon,
Maria Barrenpohl.	Anna M. Powers.

S. EARLE, Music.

Ward School No. 28—Twenty-second Ward.

Fortieth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Joseph Finch,	Mary Kelly,	Emily P. James,
John J. Ketchum,	Mary H. Miller,	Julia M. Scarlett,
James H. Hallock,	Susan M. Kelly,	Olive C. Smith,
Lewis M. Kolb,	Caroline E. Church,	Sarah C. Wilson,
Henry C Litchfield,	Harriet F. Williams,	Rebecca Patterson,
Sarah A. Haynes,	Georgiana M. Bunker.	Mary M. Skiffington.
Barbara Gellan.		Mildred L. Johnson.

F. H. MARSH, Music. AL. GROLLIER, French.



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Ward School No. 29—First Ward.

97 and 99 Greenwich street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
L. W. Annan,	H. A. C. Hathwaite,	Marion Blair,
Thomas Fanning, Jr.,	Ellen A. Preswick,	Sarah C. Hubie,
Edward Schwacofer,	Augusta C. Allen,	Josephine M. P. Hume,
James B. Treanor,	Josephine Morrison,	Amy B. Butts,
Ellen M. Hackett,	Mary Oelzner.	Maria E. Martin,
Sarah L. Blackburn.		Elizabeth W. Carman,
		Ellen L. F. Comstock,
		Caroline H. Robst,
		Jessie McGregor,
		Annie E. Van Boskark,
		Kate A. Laws,
		Sarah E. Heybeck,
		Annie M. Franklyn,
		Mary E. Dunnican,
		Sarah Cohen,
		Caroline S. Whitlock.

F. H. Nash, Music.

Ward School No. 30—Eleventh Ward.

276 Second street.

Male.	*Female.*
Jane M. Gilfillan,	Mary J. Houseworth,
Anna M. Birdsall,	Eliza J. Beilby,
Harriet Snyder.	Julia Donnegan.

Ward School No. 31—Seventh Ward.

Monroe street, near Montgomery.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
John J. Anderson,	Elizabeth Sayre,	Mary A. Ebbets,
John R. Anees,	Lucy F. Scarborough,	Ellen P. Daly,
William F. Berry, Jr.,	Mary E. Stainburn,	Emily J. Peck,
Alexander Oliver,	Sarah E. Raywood.	Mary A. Hannah,
William W. Soullard,		Mary J. Clark,
William M. Cole.		Catharine J. Delaney,
		Mary S. Ketcham,
		Josephine M. Norman.

George W. Pettit, Music.

Ward School No. 32—Fourteenth Ward.

Baxter street, near Grand.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Edward Mellroy,	Catharine Connelly,	Mary E. Earle.
Nicholas Mulligan,	E. A. Bassuck,	Kate A. Hackett,

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
T. W. Kennedy,	O. Hunter,	Ellen T. Ahern,
Honora Madden.	Jane Connelly.	Margaret A. Doyle,
		Ann Van Riper,
		A. Gromley,
		A O'Donnell,
		H. Collins.

Ward School No. 33—Twentieth Ward.
Thirty-fifth street, near Ninth avenue.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
George W. Cooper,	Sarah K. Partridge,	Clara M. Edmonds,
T. Dwight Martin,	Agnes E. Baylies,	Mary J. Donaldson,
Wm. Menzies Adams,	Anne M. Dunn,	Mary D. Seolari,
Elvira E Neville,	Kate Brown,	Sarah E McKusker,
Mary A. Simms,	Hannah E. Jacobus,	Rosanna Whiteside,
Janet Young,	Almira J. Danley,	Mary A. Lyon,
Elizabeth A. Hunt,	Angeline P Myer,	Phebe E. Brooks,
Elizabeth Smith.	Clarissa E. Hartmann.	Catharine S. Burnett,
		Julia Green,
		Mary E. Blonk,
		Margaret Adams,
		Eliza Hofmann,
		Emily B. Jackson.

Marcus Colburn, Music. Sigismund Schuster, Drawing.

Ward School No. 34—Thirteenth Ward.
Broome street, between Sheriff and Willett.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
H. C. Martin,	Harriet N. Goldey,	Jane Rutherford,
William M. Jelliffe,	Annot A Rutherford,	Margaret F. Maguire,
B. Y. Conklin,	Margaret C. Mikels,	Caroline H. Appleton,
M. K. Acheson,	Grace A. Mayhen,	Phebe E. Kormornisky,
Emily M. Appleton,	Josephine T. Orr,	Mary P. Fairchild,
Mary E. Newman,	Josephine Irwin,	Mary E. Moore,
Lucretia V. Flack,	Sarah A. Reeves.	Helena Parmenter,
Berenice J. Fitz.		Marion N. Irwin,
		Harriet Keeler,
		Phebe L. Latson.

George H. Curtis, Music.

Ward School No. 35—Fifteenth Ward.
(for boys only.)
Thirteenth street, near Sixth avenue.

Male.	*Primary.*
Washington M. Smith,	Jane M. Linsey,
Thomas Hunter,	Sarah J. Martin,

Male.	*Primary.*
Charles Gates,	Mary N. Amerman,
George White, Jr.,	Louisa J. Shannon,
George L. Burr,	Hannah M. Wheeler,
Silas W. Randall,	Mary C. Banta,
Euphemia B Crowell,	Annie R. Wilson.
Anna M. Rogers,	
James V. Kennedy,	
Sarah L. Vanderbilt.	

GEORGE H. CURTIS, Music.

Ward School No. 35—Eleventh Ward.

Ninth street, near Avenue C.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
A. D. Dubois,	Lucinda W. Wooster,	Euretta M. Nicholson,
John M. Sears,	Charlotte R. Wooster,	Elizabeth Pickford,
James R. Finch,	Emily C. Hoyt,	Victoria M. Halen,
Catharine Vannoy,	Joanna E. Messinger,	Phebe A Walters,
Mary L. Miles,	Sarah J. Crane,	Anna E. Turner,
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Ward School No. 37—Twelfth Ward.

Eighty-seventh street, near Fourth avenue.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
John W. Boyce,	Hannah E. Cudlipp,	Laura H. Gildersleeve,
Gillespie Miller.	Margaret Hebberd,	Louisa Ingersoll,
Elizabeth T. Hart,	Mary Gildersleeve,	Eleanor M Geary,
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E. Hitchcock.		Emma P Sandford.

Ward School No. 38—Eighth Ward.

Clark street, near Broome.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
J. Elias Whitehead,	Cordelia Chadeayne,	Helen M. Knapp,
Charles W. Lord,	Mary A. Downs,	Mary E. Inslee,
D. B. Frisbee,	Frances C. Church,	Sarah J Seaman,
Miles Finch,	Sarah A. Lowe,	Margaret Felt,
Henrietta Forbes,	Mary Marvin,	Harriet Hindes,
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Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Annie E. Baker.	Julia A. Seger,	Frances A. Stevens,
	Mary Houseworth,	Susan R. Brown,
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Ward School No. 39—Twelfth Ward.

One hundred and twenty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Jacob S. Warner,	Maria S. Kenyon,	Mary A. Freeman,
James Riker,	Edith M. Hayes,	Priscilla Brass,
Mary E. Gardner,	Anna E. Lockwood.	Eliza A. Freeman,
Mary Tuthill.		Catharine A Hebberd,
		Francis A. Polley,
		Sophia H. Crawford.

Ward School No. 40—Eighteenth Ward.

(FOR BOYS ONLY.)

Twentieth street, between First and Second avenues.

Male.	*Primary.*
David B. Scott,	Charlotte C. Wray,
Edward S. Worth,	Elizabeth A. Wilkinson,
George Halbro,	Martha McFarland,
D. G. W. Streeter,	Mary E. Carroll,
M. O. Fuller,	Eliza B. Cronin,
Thomas B. Sandford,	Deborah Bisco,
Joseph H. Wiley,	Annie Hollister,
Jane M. Greacen;	Anna Spencer,
Mary J. Lennon,	Amy Smith,
Sarah A. Bodine,	Anna Sherman.
F. H. P. Meginley,	
A. E. Moss,	
Rebecca Slater.	

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Ward School No. 41—Ninth Ward.

Greenwich avenue, opposite Charles street.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Thomas F. Harrison,	M. Louisa Scott,	Susanna Whitney,
Josiah H. Zabriskie,	Mary C. Conklin,	Catharine Fagan,
George W. Harrison,	Lizzie Cavanagh,	Mary Crowell,
Charles W. Smith,	Sarah F. Nixon,	Elizabeth J. Wasson,
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Jacob D. Kirkner,	Sara F. Connor,	Sarah J. Hemphill,
Kate H. Cavanagh.	James A. Johnson,	Elizabeth M. Smith,
	Joseph Woozinski,	William Redfield,
		Martha Morehead.

Ward School No. 42—Tenth Ward.

Allen street, between Walker and Hester.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Elisha L. Avery,	Ann E. Lloyd,	Emily B. Hunt,
John Walsh,	Caroline Hopkins,	Mary H. Palmer,
Henry Christman,	Anna L. Post,	Anna E. Falconer,
William A Owen,	Sarah E. Conrad.	Elizabeth Thorp,
Thorndike F. Saunders.	Catharine L. Hannah,	Ellen F. Culver,
M. Antoinette Megie,	Catharine Davis,	Isabella Iles,
Pauline[9] L. Lose,	rances Hollingshead,	Pamelia Hart,
Jemima Reed	Mary Woolley,	Mary E. Miller,
	Martha J. Austin	Rebecca Hiltman,
		Josephine E. Stuyvesant,
		Hannah Mount,
		Emma Hill.

Ward School No. 43—Twelfth Ward.

One hundred and twenty-ninth street, corner 10th avenue, Manhattanville.

Male.	*Female.*
Charles McGregor,	Barbara H. McDonnell,
Eliza R. Knapp.	Charlotte M. Shapford,
	Fannie Starr.

Ward School No. 44—Fifth Ward.

Corner North Moore and Variek streets.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
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Thomas W. Conklin,	Euphemia Warren,	Jane E. Cunningham,
Charles E. Aymar,	Helen G. Morgan,	Catharine Gordon,
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Ward School No. 45—Sixteenth Ward.

Twenty-fourth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
Thomas Foulk.	Adelaide Hawley,	Emily Kennedy,
Nelson B. Bartram,	Annie E. Fowler,	Sarah E. Coley,
Charles W. Morse,	Sarah J. Huestis,	Matilda Holton,
James W. Graff,	Jane S. Wilson,	Emily R. Grafton,
Moulton Emery,	Susan M. Pan,	Jane Caldwell,
Sarah Stewart,	Sarah R. Plum,	Victorine S. Crapser,
Julia Hostin,	Hattie L. Board,	Mary H. Ervart,
Ellen D. Traphagen,	Sarah E. Conover,	Maria J. Wright,
Sarah M. Crist.	Matilda L. Stopp,	Adeline V. Sutton,
Lucretia A Robinson.	M. Isabel Oakley.	Emily J. Disbrow,
		Emma S. Burger,
		Lizzie May,
		Jane White,
		Emma Fryer,
		Eliza Hopper,
		Jennie Barton.

James Hyatt, Lecturer F. H. Nash, Music.

Ward School No. 46—Twelfth Ward.

One hundred and fifty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, Carmansville.

Male.	*Female.*
John C. Graff,	Matilda M. Landon,
Maria C. Jennings,	Julia A. Goldsmith,
Mary H. Hammond.	Eugenia Swartz

Ward School No. 47—Fifteenth Ward.

(for girls only.)

Twelfth street, between Broadway and University place.

Senior Dept.	*Junior Dept.*	*Primary.*
Lydia F. Wadleigh,	Aroline C. Hall,	M. Louisa Geer,
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Lina Achert.	Josephine H. Shelden,	Jane Adams,
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	Hattie H. Peake.	

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Ward School No. 48—Twenty-second Ward.

Twenty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
J. H. Partridge,	Isabella Hill,	Elise A Ebbets,
Hugh Carlisle,	Henrietta Dutch,	Sophia H. Travis,
P. W. Connolly,	Philandia Woodruff,	Eliza M. Dyke,
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Ward School No. 49—Twenty-first Ward.

Thirty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues

Male.	*Female.*	*Primary.*
William H. Wood,	Frances E. A Gutch,	Kate A Palmer,
Samuel M. Perkins,	Laura C. Deal,	Julia S. Clark,
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Martha A. Smith,		Mary A. Ladd,
William Carlisle.		Lucretia Felter.
		Isabel Pridham,
		Jane Fulton,
		Emma Husted,
		Rosa Famaries,
		Sarah Adams.

Ward School No. 50—Eighteenth Ward.

(FOR GIRLS ONLY)

Twentieth street, between Second and Third avenues.

Female.	*Primary.*
Margaretta L. Marston,	M. Eliza Purdy,
Harriet A. Duncan,	Mary Talbert,
Letitia Matthews,	Kate Kennedieu,
Ellen Hoyt,	Charlotte F. Grandall,
Elizabeth F. Inness,	Mary Barker,
Catharine J. Decker,	Maria L. Raiman,

Female.	*Primary.*
Caroline B. Cornell,	Mary Crocters,
Adeline W. Farless,	Mary Moran,
Mary E. Jenks,	Agnes Turnbull,
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Margaret Magilton,	
Annie Kelly,	
Catharine Lockman.	

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88 Orchard street, near Broome.

Mary J. King, Isabella V. Van Cott, Mary V. Stevens.

Primary School No. 2.

103 Bayard street, near Baxter.

Sarah A. Foster, Mary A. Bamman, Julia M. Harden,
Jane T. McInroy.

Primary School No. 3.

100 Cannon street, near Stanton.

Sarah R. Jannay, Mary L. Hoyt, Joanna Lancaster,
Mary E. Murphy, Marion W. Holly.

Primary School No. 4.

St. John's Hall, corner Bowery and Delancey street.

Susan M. Drinker, Margaret A. McCaffrey, Bridget M. Harrison,
Phebe Perham, Jane B. Petrie.

Primary School No. 5.

1 Cherry street, near Scammel.

Mary C. Crane, Catharine M. Griffing, Louise J. Hobby,
Sarah M. Reeve, Tryphena Finch, Ann A. Moore,
Mary Ankers.

Primary School No. 7.

321 Sixth street, between Avenues B and C.

Sarah A. Keyes, Julia A. Cook, Adelaide Hardy,
Sarah Ryno.

Primary School No. 8.

61 Thompson street.

Mary Tooker, Amy E Hallock, Caroline A. Esterly,
Georgiana Dugan.

Primary School No. 10.
170 Amos street, near Washington.

Elizabeth E. Mead, Mary J. Anderson, Elizabeth H. Myers, Elizabeth Sleight.

Primary School No. 13.
103 Bayard street, near Baxter.

Anna Mahoney, Lucy E. McDaniels, Agnes C. O'Donnell, C. H. H. Mulrooney. Mary Lawlor.

Primary School No. 14.
Rear of 60 Chrystie street.

Mary E. Ervin, Maggie A. Boyd, Amelia Soner, Mary E. Robinson.

Primary School No. 15.
36 Stanton street, near Chrystie.

Margaret H. Braiden, Catharine T. Clark, Charlotte A. Wilmott, Catharine T. Albertson.

Primary School No. 16.
Cannon street, near Broome.

Ernestina F. Nell, Julia A. Wood, Sarah A. Montague, Josephine Ostrander, Lucretia A. Tooker, Sarah M. Norris.

Primary School No. 17.
461 Greenwich street.

Phebe A. Hope, Cordelia Everett, Emily A. Comstock, Alice Fair.

Primary School No. 19.
Twentieth street, near Seventh avenue.

Olley Pack, Jane A. Pullis, H. Amanda Irving, Lavinia K. Amerman, Mary Rolston.

Primary School No. 20.
Corner of Avenue C and Fourth street.

Mary M. Smith, Eleanor M. Magee, Mary E. Soullard, Belinda Williamson.

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Corner of Bleecker and Downing streets.

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Primary Schools Nos. 23 and 24.

61 Thompson street.

Isabella Veitch, Sarah Hopper, Josephine Van Amburgh,
Evelina Russell.

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98 West Seventeenth street.

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98 West Seventeenth street.

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174 Amos street, near Washington.

Hester Dorsett, Mary F. Degraw, Elizabeth Dore,
Amelia E. Lang.

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Primary Schools Nos. 29 and 30.

3 Stone street.

Caroline S. Whitlock, Georgiana R. Finley, Abbe A. Wright,
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175 Barrow street, near Greenwich.

Martha C. Houseworth, Isabella Young, Ellen Oakley.

Primary Schools Nos. 33 and 52.

Twenty-fifth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

Julia A. Lispenard, Eleanor E. Taylor, Lydia Moulton,
Mary P. Johnson, Mary Christie.

Primary School No. 34.

Corner of Eighth avenue and Forty-third street.

Frances M. Finch, Agnes McCartney, Maria Ackerman,
Eliza Morgan, Louisa Osborn

Primary School No. 35.

461 Greenwich street.

Frances A. Comstock, Elizabeth Wright, Clementina Palmer, Josephine Hope.

Primary School No. 36.

Waverley place, near Bank street.

Jane Walker, Augusta Loss, Eleanor Firth.

Primary School No. 37.

Waverley place, near Bank street.

Catharine A. Taft, Mary E. Harriott, Amelia McGrath.

Primary School No. 38.

Rear of 60 Chrystie street.

Charlotte P. Brown, Alice F. Bartley, Susan K. Vandewater, Kate Ferry.

Primary School No. 39.

233 West Eighteenth street.

C. F. R. Crowell, Maria F. Pierce, Ella Webb, Marietta Brown.

Primary School No. 40.

Rear of 147 Clinton street.

Mary Holbrook, Ellen C. Gregory, Mary E. Northrup, Juliette B. De Long.

Primary School No 41.

Rear of 147 Clinton street.

Susan Holbrook, Margaret A. Seofield, Harriet M. Conrey, Mary J. Smith.

Primary School No. 42.

100 Cannon street, near Stanton.

Abby M. Burton, Henrietta M. Barnes, Elizabeth Devereaux, Anna E. White.

Primary School No. 43.

Rivington street, near Goerck.

Sarah J. Hatfield, Caroline G. Haff, Ellen Peebe, Helen C. Duffy.

Primary School No. 44.

Rivington street, near Goerck.

Sarah A. Fowler, Sarah M. Taft, Fanny L. Requa,
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Houston street, between Forsyth and Eldridge.

Sarah A. Young, Harriet A. Donaldson, Sarah J. Callender,
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Primary School No. 46.

Eleventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

Margaret Chirney, Jane Smith.

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Eleventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

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233 West Eighteenth street.

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Eighty-fourth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, Yorkville.

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Thirty-seventh street, near Tenth avenue.

Hannah G. Preston,	Amanda M. House,	Lizzie K. McCrea,
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Primary School No. 57.

Corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue, Demilt Dispensary.

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Primary School No. 58.

Nineteenth street, between Avenue A and First avenue.

Frances A. Felt,	Jane M. Yates,	Kate E. Ringwood,
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Colored School No. 1—Fourteenth Ward.

135 Mulberry street, near Grand.

Male.	*Female.*
John Peterson,	Eliza Gwynne,
Peter S. Ewell,	Mary A. Griffin,
Peter H. Loveridge,	Mary F. Allen,
Wright Seaman, jr.	Rhoda S. Ledges.

Colored School No. 2—Eighth Ward.

51 and 53 Laurens street.

Male.	*Female*	*Primary.*
Ransom F. Wake,	Fanny Tompkins,	Sarah Ennalls,
John Porter.	Caroline Hamilton,	Catharine Harley,
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Eighty-fifth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

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Colored School No. 4—Twelfth Ward.

One hundred and seventeenth street, near Second avenue, Harlem.

Nancy Thompson.

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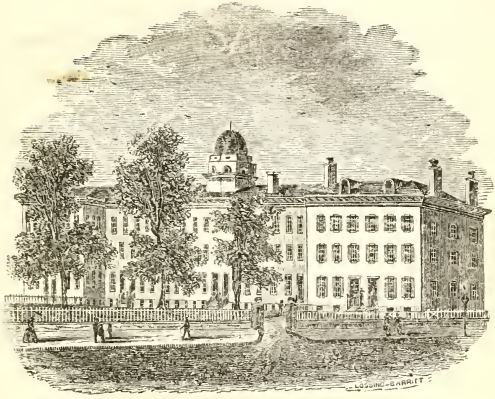
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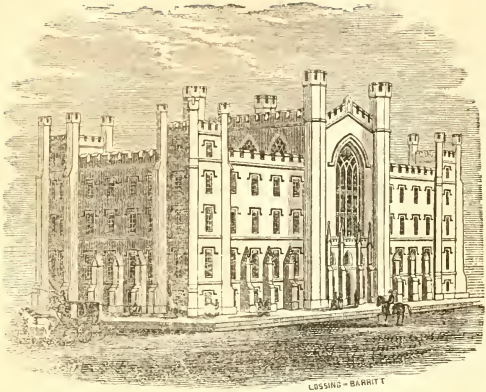
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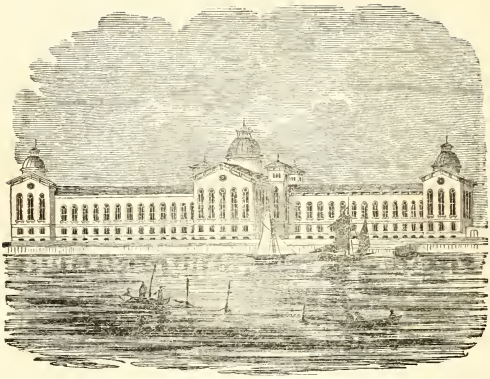
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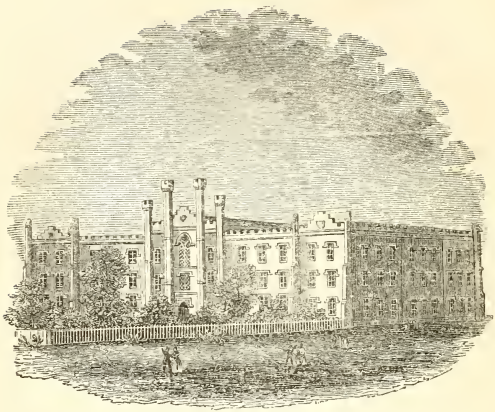
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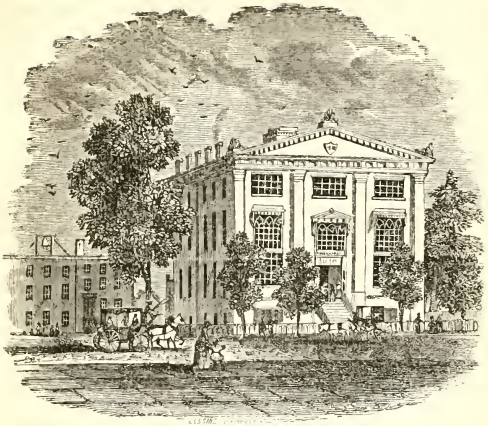
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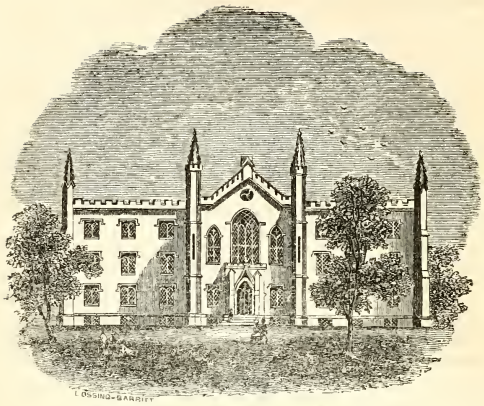
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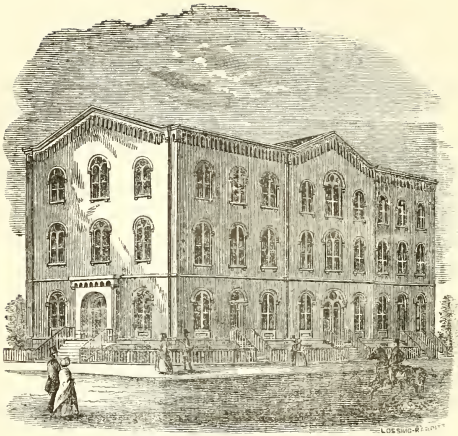
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C. R. Agnew, M.D.... E. W. Derby, M.D.....	10 to 11	o'clock,	A.M...	Surgery.
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Frederick Nash, M.D.. H. L. Smith, M.D.....	11 to 12	"	"	Diseases of Children.
John H. Griscom, M.D. N. P. Rice, M.D.....	1 to 2	"	P.M.	Diseases of Women.
Isador Gluck, M.D.... J. H. Hinton, M.D....	1 to 2	"	"	Diseases of the Eye and Ear.
J. W. Corson, M.D... T. G. Thomas, M.D...	2 to 3	"	"	Diseases of the Heart, Lungs and Throat.
E. B. Belden, M.D.... V. Morse, M.D....	2 to 3	"	"	Diseases of the Skin.
Eustace Trenor..... Wm. S. Latsom.....	3		"	" Diseases of the Teeth.

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1st Class—Diseases of the Heart, Lungs and Throat.
S. B. W. McLeod, M.D. Chas. C. Hayes, M.D.
Hour from 9 to 10 A.M.

2d Class—Diseases of the Head and Abdomen, Fevers and Rheumatism.
Chas. H. Haesler, M.D. Dudley Peet, M.D.
Hour from 10 to 11 A.M.

3d Class—Diseases of the Eye and Ear, Skin Diseases and Surgery.
M. G. Porter, M.D. Jas. W. Buchler, M.D.
Hour from 11 to 12 A.M.

4th Class—Diseases of Women and Children, and Nervous Diseases.
J. L. Smith, M.D. Chas. A. Dusinberre, M.D.
Hour from 2 to 3 P.M.

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LEADING STATISTICS OF THE FIVE DISPENSARIES OF NEW YORK, FOR THE YEAR 1855.

NAME OF DISPENSARY, AND DATE OF ITS INCORPORATION.		PATIENTS WHERE TREATED.		SEXES.		Grand Totals.	Whole number Vaccinated.	Deaths for the year.	NATIVITY OF THE PATIENTS.		Number of Prescriptions Dispensed.	Average cost of service to each Patient, 1855.	Average cost for the previous year.
		At the Dispensary.	At their Dwellings.	Males.	Females.				Of Native Birth.	Of Foreign Birth.			
												cents.	cents.
New York	A. D. 1790	33,022	6,532	16,703	22,851	39,554	2,179	166	10,090	29,464	89,209	12 2-5	10 1-3
Northern	" 1827	8,699	4,043	4,992	7,750	12,742	755	79	4,820	7,922	38,819	28 2-5	23 1-2
Eastern	" 1832	22,087	3,525	10,271	15,341	25,612	3,908	203	11,461	14,151	31,167	11 4-5	13 1-3
Demilt	" 1851	16,468	3,713	8,532	11,649	20,181	1,154	204	7,252	12,929	35,099	26 1-4	27
Northwestern	" 1852	8,765	2,816	1,798	6,783	11,581	222	194	4,379	7,202	22,644	24	27
Total		89,011	20,629	45,296	64,374	109,670	8,218	846	38,002	71,668	217,038	17 9-10	16 1-2

COMMISSIONERS OF DEEDS

IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NAMES.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TERM EXPIRES.
Ahern, John	December 26, 1856.	December 26, 1858.
Arnoux, Wm. H	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Anderson, John, Jr	" "	" "
Acker, Samuel S	" 13, 1856.	" 13, 1858.
Ackley, J. M	" "	" "
Allen, Samuel F	" "	" "
Armstrong, W. H	" "	" "
Ames, John S	" 26, 1856.	" 26,
Baldwin, A. De Witt	" "	" "
Baldwin, George E	" "	" "
Billing, Benj. L	" "	" "
Brown, E. H	" "	" "
Beck, Joseph	" "	" "
Bissell, Edward	February 16, 1855.	February 16, 1857.
Byee, Joseph P	December 26, 1856.	December 26, 1858.
Frown, Joseph O	" "	" "
Broach, P. V	" "	" "
Banta, Mathias	" 13, 1856.	" 13,
Barker, Stephen	" "	" "
Batchelor, Isaac B	" "	" "
Bell, Samuel P	" "	" "
Bissell, John	" "	" "
Brown, Erastus W	" "	" "
Boese, Thomas	" "	" "
Brainard, Cephas	" "	" "
Brinckerhoff, Wm. E	" "	" "
Brown, Augustus J	" "	" "
Bruorton, Wm	" "	" "
Butman, Asa	" "	" "
Bull, Jireh	" "	" "
Bagley, Sargent V	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Bronson, Henry G	" "	" "
Barrow, Edmund P	" "	" "
Banks, Henry C	" "	" "
Brown, John	" "	" "
Corey, Edwin F	" "	" "
Childs, Casper C	" 29, 1856.	" 29, 1858.
Condit, John A	" "	" "
Cantine, Francis C	" 13,	" 13,
Cahill, Francis	" "	" "
Carnes, Cornelius	" "	" "
Casserly, Bernard	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Cone, Spencer H	" "	" "
Corey, Francis E, Jr	" "	" "
Crawford, Edgar M	" "	" "
Clark, Ed. P	" "	" "
Chambers, Richard A	" 13, 1856.	" 13, 1858.

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Colgate, Josiah S	December 13, 1856.	December 13, 1858.
Couenhoven, Jas T	" "	" "
Cushman, A. F	" "	" "
Chambers, John H	January 24, 1857.	January 24, 1859.
Cady, A. S	" 26, 1856.	" 26, 1858.
Chapman, W. F. T	" "	" "
Cleveland, H. T	" "	" "
Cosgrove, Wm	" "	" "
Dissosway, C. R	December 14, 1855.	December 14, 1857.
Devoy, John M	" "	" "
Downing, R. C	" "	" "
Dodge, Wm	" "	" "
Elias G. Drake, Jr	February 6, 1857.	February 6, 1859.
Dusenberry, Wm. H	December 14, 1855.	December 14, 1857.
Dougherty, C. J	" "	" "
Daniels, Ed. M	" "	" "
Durach, Walter	" "	" "
Dubois, Jacob	" "	" "
Drake, John	January 26, 1856.	January 26, 1858.
Douglass, Thomas	" "	" "
Dixey, Wm	" 13, 1856.	" 13,
Elmendorf, Edmund, Jr	December 20, 1856.	December 20, 1858.
Eagleson, Alex. M	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Eddy, Rufus T	October 22, 1855.	October 22,
Easton, D. T	December 26, 1856.	December 26, 1858.
Farran, Thomas	" "	" "
Farrington, John R	" "	" "
Fowler, David A	" "	" "
Frazer, Charles	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Flandreau, James M	" "	" "
Freeman, Wm. C	" "	" "
Freeman, Charles M	" "	" "
Foster, John H	" "	" "
Frazer, Edward A	" 26, 1856.	" 26, 1858.
Fellows, Richard C	" "	" "
Fitzgerald, Jerome B	" "	" "
Farrington, Henry	" 13, 1856.	" 13,
Fellows, Ed. B	" "	" "
Fowler, Boltis M	" "	" "
Fisher, Nicholas	" "	" "
Foot, John	" "	" "
Fowler, Charles C	" "	" "
Fowler, Charles W	" "	" "
Gildersleeve, Charles E	" "	" "
Glover, Thaddeus B	" "	" "
Glover, Louis N	September, 15, 1856	September 15,
Graff, Wm T	December 13, 1856.	December 13,
Greene, J. Wilson	April 25 1855	April 25, 1857.
Green, Edward	December 13 1856.	December 13, 1858.
Green, Wm H	December 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Gray, John F	" "	" "
Genet, Henry W	February 9, 1855.	February 9,
Guest, Francis B	December 26, 1856.	December 26, 1858.
Hart, Felix	" "	" "

NAMES.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TERM EXPIRES.
Hart, Volbert O.	December 13, 1856.	December 13, 1858.
Harrison, James	" "	" 13,
Hale, James W.	" "	" "
Hegeman, John	" "	" "
Hillyer, James M.	" "	" "
Hodgkinson, Worthington	" "	" "
Howard, Jacob E.	" "	" "
Hargan, George	" "	" "
Hayes, John	December 6, 1856.	" 6,
Hays, Jas. C.	" "	" "
Herrich, Hugh M.	" "	" "
Hobart, Dayton	February 16, 185[illegible]	February 16,
Hoyt, John D.	" "	" "
Hunt, George A.	December 26, 1856.	December 26,
Hyatt, James P.	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Hoope, John	" "	" "
Hart, Michael G.	" "	" "
Hunt, Hiram	" "	" "
Haskell, Wm. S.	" "	" "
Haws, George T.	" "	" "
Irving, Henry J.	" 13, 1856.	" 13, 1858.
Irving, Leslie	" 26,	" 26,
James, Morris	" 13,	" 13,
Jarvis, Nath., Jr.	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Johnson, Charles P.	" "	" "
Jones, Marvin N.	" 13, 1856	" 13, 1858.
Jessurun S.	" 26,	" 26,
Jenkins, Wm. O.	" 26,	" "
Johnson, Leonard L.	" 26,	" "
Kellogg, George D.	" 13,	" 13,
Kellock, George, Jr.	" 13,	" "
Kirby, Spencer	" 13,	" "
Knight, E. J.	" 13.	" "
Keyser, Jeremiah	" 26,	" 26,
Kohler, Andrew	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
King, Frederick J.	" "	" "
Kelly, Richard	" 26, 1856.	" 26, 1858.
Low, James W.	" "	" "
Lineback, Charles F.	" "	" "
Latimer, Wm. T.	" "	" "
Lemon, Peter	" "	" "
Lincoln, Henry S.	" "	" "
Leggett, Wm. V.	" "	" "
Lee, William	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Lee, Fred R.	" "	" "
Lewis, Benedict, Jr.	" "	" "
Latson, John W.	" "	" "
Lawrence, Eugene	" "	" "
Lawrence, Joseph C.	" "	" "
Leconey, James	" 13, 1856.	" 13, 1858.
Leverich, John W. C.	" "	" "
Lovell, Henry V.	" "	" "
Lockman, Jacob K.	" "	" "
McGowan, Henry P.	" "	" "

NAMES.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Millspaugh, Philip	December 13, 1856.	December 13, 1858.
Mumford, Wm. O	" "	" "
Miller, John W	January 20, 1855.	January 20, 1857.
Martine, Theodore	December 13, 1856.	December 13, 1858.
MacPherson E. S	" "	" "
Mountfort, N. B	" "	" "
Ming, Alexander	February 9, 1855.	February 9, 1857.
McCurdy, Richard N	December 26, 1856	December 26, 1858.
Moody, John	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Morris, Wm. L	" "	" "
McIntyre, Alfred	" "	" "
Molloy, Patrick J	" "	" "
Murray, Washington	" "	" "
Moulton, James F	" "	" "
Moses, Abraham	" "	" "
Mills, Joseph T	" "	" "
McSorley, John A	" "	" "
McLaughlin, Wm. G	" 26, 1856.	" 26, 1858.
Mackellar, Wm	" "	" "
Newins, E. S	" 13, 1856.	" 13,
Nichols, Washington R	" "	" "
Newell, Charles S	" "	" "
Nelson, George P	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Niven, D. C	" "	" "
Nones, Jos. B	" 13, 1856.	" 13, 1858.
Noyes, Calvin	" "	" "
Nash, Joseph H	April 25, 1855.	April 25, 1857.
Osborne, George L	December 13, 1856.	December 13, 1858.
Pecare, Jacob	" "	" "
Parsons, W. D	" "	" "
Pinckney, Charles C	" "	" "
Pierce, Josiah	" "	" "
Pitkin, Lucius	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Patterson, Charles E	" "	" "
Pinckney, Stephen R	" "	" "
Price, James	" "	" "
Pearson, Thomas	" "	" "
Phoenix, J Phillip	" "	" "
Purdy, Augustus	" 13, 1856.	" 13, 1858.
Phillips, John	" 26, "	" 26,
Postley, Edward L	" "	" "
Post, James M	" "	" "
Prentiss, Thos	" "	" "
Pentz, Benjamin J	February 9, 1855.	February 9, 1857.
Purdy, Stephen M	December 26, 1856.	December 26, 1858.
Read, Richard	" 13,	" 13,
Richmond, Thomas A	" "	" "
Riker, P. D	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Rice, H. H	" "	" "
Romaine, W	" "	" "
Rogers, C. H	" "	" "
Randall, David	January 24, 1857.	January 24, 1859.
Rogers, George T	December 13, 1856.	December 13, 1858.
Ropes, John F	" "	" "

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Riblet, Wm H	December 26, 1856.	December 26, 1858.
Ripley, Wm	" "	" "
Sander, Joseph	" "	" "
Seeley, Frederick L	" 13,	" 13,
Seagrist, Nicholas	" "	" "
Shaw, Alex. P. Sharp	" 20,	" 20,
Smith, Andrew J	" 13,	" 13,
Stewart, James L	" "	" "
Sweeney, James M	" "	" "
Shafer, Ebenezer B	" "	" "
Sill, Richard	" "	" "
Slyter, James S	" "	" "
Smith, Abram G	" "	" "
Smith, Albert	" "	" "
Somerindyke, John W	" "	" "
Seaman, David	" 26,	" 26,
Seixas, Isaac G	" "	" "
Selmes, Reeves E	" "	" "
Shandley, Ed. J	" "	" "
Strebeigh, Robert M	" "	" "
Stephens, Wm. H	February 6, 1855.	February 6, 1857.
Sturtevant, Oscar W	December 26, 1856.	December 26, 1858.
Stansbury, Edward A	" "	" "
Smith, Calvin	" "	" "
Small, Wilson	" "	" "
Smith, Henry	" "	" "
Stogdill, Wm. H	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Stewart, Thomas	" "	" "
Sommers, Thomas S	" "	" "
Seixas, Daniel	" "	" "
Sinclair, William	" "	" "
Stuyvesant, George W	" "	" "
Scott, Richard	" "	" "
Stansbury, Wm. H	" "	" "
Smith, Charles K	" "	" "
Sandford, James	" "	" "
Smith, Charles H	" "	" "
Stewart, Thomas E	" "	" "
Slausen, James S	" "	" "
Striker, A. R	" "	" "
Stevens, George H	" "	" "
Smith, James	" 26, 1856.	" 26, 1858.
Shay, Charles E	" "	" "
Stuart, James L	" "	" "
Stackpool, Richard	" "	" "
Stoutenburgh, J. A	" "	" "
Taylor, Isaac L	" 13,	" 13,
Taylor, Wm. L	" "	" "
Taylor, Daniel B	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Tindale, John J	" "	" "
Taylor, George L	" "	" "
Townsend, Henry D	" 13,	" 13,
Thornell, Thomas D	February 24,	February 24,
Tuthill, Ira H	December 26, 1856.	December 36, 1858.

NAMES.	WHEN APPOINTED.	TIME EXPIRES.
Underhill, Abraham	December 13, 1856.	December 13, 1858.
Vail, Moses M	" "	" "
Van Cott, Thomas G	" "	" "
Van Hozen, George M	" "	" "
Vanderbeck, John	" 26,	" 26,
Van Namee, James	" "	" "
Vandervoort, C. M	" "	" "
Voorhies, Theodore B	" "	" "
Vultee, Frederick L	" 14, 1855.	" 14, 1857.
Van Cott, G	" "	" "
Wordsworth, Wm	" "	" "
Webster, Samuel T	" "	" "
Wilson, Jona	" "	" "
Westerfield, Wm. E	" "	" "
Warner, George W	" "	" "
Watkinson, Redford	" "	" "
Wakeman, Thaddeus B	" "	" "
Watson, James H	" 13, 1856.	" 13, 1858.
Watts, Charles F	" "	" "
Westlake, Owen E	" "	" "
Weight, George W	" "	" "
Wyckoff, Jacob H	" "	" "
Wheeler, George W	" 26,	" 26,
Wood, Augustus L	" "	" "
Weaver, William	" "	" "
Webber, John	" "	" "
Walsh, Augustus H	" "	" "
Wellslager, J	" "	" "
Wells, W. James, Jr	" 13,	" 13,
Ward, S. L. H	" "	" "
Wheeler, Clark B	" 26,	" 26,
Whitmore, John H	" "	" "
White, John H	July 17,	July 17,
Young, Joseph B	December 14, 1855.	December 14, 1857.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Abbott, Carden
Anderson, John, jr.
Adams, R. A.
Ambler, John C.
Adams, Thomas
Bull, Samuel T.
Buckley, Thomas C. T.
Bogert, H. A.
Black, John
Brown, James C.
Baldwin, A. D.
Bates, J. Francis
Benjamin, P. A
Barrow, E. P.
Beckel, J. C.
Browne, William H.
Bell, G. W.
Briggs, D. C.
Bissell, John
Brown, Samuel
Bissell, Edward
Butler, William Allen
Bogart, John Augustus
Betts, W. C.
Baldwin, G. E.
Brown, William H.
Brown, Samuel
Baldwin, J. M.
Bull, Jireh
Benedict, Charles L.
Beck, F. J.
Baldwin, S.
Bloomfield, William
Banks, Henry
Camerden, Henry C., jr.
Carnes, Cornelius
Clark, Edward P.
Chambers, John H.
Clarke, Daniel W
Corey, Edwin F.
Cowdrey, William L.
Campbell, Malcolm
Clark, William Y.
Herrick, Asahel R
Coddington Jefferson
Colgate, Josiah S.
Clarke, Albert G.
Clark, Charles G.
Clark, Thomas M.
Dougherty, C. J.
Dodge, J., jr.
Drake, John
Dodge, William
Darling, W. M. A.
Davison, C. A.
De Lancey, Edward F.
Dill, J. H.
Dusenbury, Edwin
Disosway, Cornelius R.
Downing, J. W.
Darling, George D.
Dean, Ezra
Dykes, Francis H.
Edwards, Charles
English, William C. R.
Ely, Jonathan S.
Edward, John
Emmet, William P.
Eagelson, A. M.
Forman, William Henry
Fleming, Charles E.
Foster, J. P. Giraud
Fellows, R. C.
Farnham, William T.
F——, Edward
Fraser, Edward A.
Furniss, William
Graham Augustus C.
Glover, Thaddeus
Genet, E. J.
Gallatin, Albert
Glover, Louis N.
Giuteau, J. M.
Graham, N. B.
Grandin, William
Griswood, B. W.
Greene, P. Wilson
McLean, George W.

Hoffman, John T.
Hickson, John, jr.
Higgins, A. T.
Heath, Henry
Harrison, William B.
Haight, Nicholas
Hoffman, E.
Hopper, John
Harberger, J. S.
Harrington, Richard M.
Hoes, P. S.
Hoxie, Nathaniel P.
Hoffman, Augustus
Hedenberg, D. L.
Hinckman, G. W.
Irving, Edgar
Jenkins, James E.
Jaques, David R.
Johnson, J. C. P.
Johnson, Henry W.
King, Frederick W.
Knapp, Frederick
Lynch, George H.
Ludlum, Edwin
Leveridge, B. C.
Laurence, Joseph C.
Lane, Thaddeus H.
Latting, John J.
Lyell, John H.
Lay, Sylvester
Lawton, J. Warren
Livingston, John
Lockwood, John A.
Lowe, J. A.
Lawrence, Eugene
Lalor, John
Leete, George A.
Lawrence, Joseph C.
Merrihew, Stephen
Moody, Horace J.
Murray, Washington
McKinstry, Charles
Milledoler, William S.
McGregor, John D.
Ryberg, Charles J.
Ryckman, Lewis W.

Moore, W. H. H.
Macdonough, A. R.
McSorley, John A.
Maclay, Moses B.
Morrell, George W.
Mumford, W. O.
McPherson, E. S.
Murray, Washington
Mayo, John
Megarey, Charles
Nott, Charles C.
Neilson, John
Norris, J. B.
Nichol, William C.
Neilson, N. F.
Notton, R. H.
Noyes, Carlim
Oakley, Thomas Boyd
O'Keefe, David, jr.
Overton, R. Carlton
Oakley, William H.
Purser, George H.
Porter, Edmund J.
Phillips, Jonas B.
Pentz, Benjamin J.
Pentz, John H.
Pirsson, John W.
Polack, Joseph
Platt, John W.
Plummer, Gordon
Poole, William
Pitkin, Lucius
Pentz, Adam P.
Parker, James
Paris, Irving
Phillips, Samuel A.
Porter, Edmund J.
Peltin, J. D.
Ruggles, James F.
Riker, Elijah H.
Rodgers, A. R.
Richmond, Thomas A.
Raballo, Charles A.
Rice, H. H.
Taylor, G. Lee
Thompson, James

Randall, D.
Ross, W. P.
Smith, E. Delafield
Sniffen, Allan M.
Stryker, Garret H., jr.
Seixas, Daniel
Stewart, Thomas
Sommers, J. B. Y.
Satterthwaite, John B.
Smith, William E., jr.
Sterling, William G.
Spear, Charles
Sommers, Thomas S.
Spring, G., jr.
Stevens, J. Bancroft,
Sweeny, James M.
Schulter, William
Semmler, John A.
Seagrist, Nicholas
Stogdill, William H.
Sands, Andrew
Smyth, Frederick
Seaver, Zachariah
Sinclair, William J.
Stansberry, E. A.
Sutherland, J L.
Stewart, Thomas
Swan, Otis D.
Townsend, John, jr.
Tracy, Charles
Turner, Pascal W.
Tallman, H. C.

Taylor, William L.
Upton Francis H.
Van Vleck, J. T.
Van Schaick, S. D.
Van Winkle, Isaac
Varnum, Joseph B.
Van Olinda, A. B.
Vose, John G.
Van Boskerck, John
Vanderbilt, Cornelius, jr.
Weber, Jacob
Woodman, George
Westlake, O. E.
Walton, George L.
Woodward, W. A.
Wright, George W.
Wheelwright, W.
Waddington, W. D.
Wilson, James W.
White, John R.
White, John Jay
Winthrop, Charles F.
Walton, E. H.
Willer, G. P.
Webb, C. S.
Winterton, W. B.
Walsh, Edwin
Wheeler, C. B.
Woodman, George
Whitehead, Henry M.
York, Joseph
Zits, Francis H.

LOCATION OF PUBLIC OFFICES.

City Hall Park.

Chief of Police	Office,	Basement.	No. 1	City Hall.
Sheriff's Jury	"	"	" 4	"
Clerk of Board of Councilmen	"	First floor,	" 5	"
Mayor	"	"	" 6	"
Health Commissioner	"	"	" 6	"
Resident Physician	"	"	" 6	"
Inspector of Vessels	"	"	" 6	"
Fire Marshal	"	"	" 6	"
First Marshal	"	"	" 6	"

Superintendent of Carts.....Office, 1st floor, No, 6 City Hall.
Commissioner of Jurors " " " 7 "
Clerk of Common Council " " " 8 "
Keeper of the City Hall..... " " " 9 "
County Clerk..... " " " 10 "
Sheriff " " " 11 "
Corporation Library Room..... " " " 12 "
Naturalization Office..... " " " 12½ "
Governor's Room..... " 2d floor, " 14 "
Board of Aldermen.....Chamber " " 15 "
Judge's Chambers, Common Pleas.. " " " 17 "
Superior Court.....Part 1st, " New Court House.
" " " 2d, " "
Clerk of Superior Court.....Office, " " 18 City Hall.
Court of Common Pleas.....Part 1st, " " 19 "
" " " 2d, " " 20 "
Board of Councilmen.....Chamber " 19&21 "
Commissioner of Repairs and Supplies.Office, " 2&3 "
Collector of Assessments..... " N.W. corner of basem't "
Clerk of Court of Common Pleas....No. 13.

New Court House, Park.

Corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

Clerk of Marine Court.
Marine Court.
Superior Court, Part First.
Superior Court, Part Second.
Receiver of Taxes.
Tax Commissioners.
District Attorney.
Recorder.
Law Library.
Supreme Court, Special and General Term, Chambers.
Circuit Court.
Court of Oyer and Terminer.
United States Court.

Rotunda, Park.

Governor of Alms-house.....Office, 1st floor.
Croton Aqueduct Department " 2d "
Water Purveyor..... " " "

Hall of Records, Park.

Register Office, 1st floor, Nos. 1 & 2.
Surrogate " " No. 3.
Street Commissioner " 2d floor, " 4.
Comptroller..... " " " 5.
Collector of City Revenve..... " " " 5.
Board of Fire Commissioners..... " Firemens' Hall.
Chamberlain of City..... " Shoe & Leather Bank.
Superintendent of Buildings..... " 74 Ludlow street.
" Streets..... " rear of Essex market.
" Lamps and Gas..... " Essex market.
" Pavements " Com. Rep. & Supplies.
" Wharves..... " No. 4, Hall of Records

Police, Lower (Halls of Justice).....Office, Centre street.
" Upper..... " rear of Essex market.
" " " Jefferson market.
For Proving Water Pipes " Sixth av. & Amos st.
Commissioner of Streets and Lamps..... " Essex market.
Corporation Counsel..... " 51 Chambers street.
Public Administrator..... " 51 Chambers street.
Corporation Attorney..... " Tryon row.
United States Marshal, office corner College place and Murray street.
Coroners' office, Chambers street, between Centre street and Broadway.
Justices' Court, First District 35 Warren street.
" Second " Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards; Chambers, bet. Centre and Chatham
" Third " Jefferson market.
" Fourth " corner of Fifth street and First avenue.
" Fifth " corner of Grand and Clinton street.
" Sixth " Broadway, junction of Thirty-fourth st.
" Seventh " cor. of Eighty-sixth st. and Fourth av.
Commissioners of Emigration.....81 Anthony street.

Corner of Murray street and College place.

United States District Attorney.
United States Commissioners.

LICENSED PAWNBROKERS

In the City of New York, from May 1, 1856, to February 1, 1857.

Solomon D. Willis & Benjamin Gill.....52 Roosevelt street
Solomon J. Levy.....482 Broome street
Louis Levy.....433 Grand street
B. A. Cohen.....269 Spring street
Charles Cudlipp.....289 Spring street
Benjamin Weaver.....408 Ninth avenue
John Shermer.....677 Eighth avenue
Aaron Adolphus.....423 Pearl street
S. D. Moss.....74 Catharine street
Dennis Mehan.....18 Grand street
Daniel O. Farrell.....462 Eighth avenue
Charles Cohen.....84 Broome street
John White.....39 Centre street
Jacob A. Silver.....136 Spring street
John B. Simpson.....25 Chatham street
Wash. E. Jackson.....38 Third avenue
Charles Fredenberg.....299 East Broadway
P. Fredenberg.....496 Hudson street
Henry Barnard & Co.....21 Third avenue



Lith. by G. Hayward, 120 Water St. N.Y.

for D. T. Valentine's Manual for 1857

Abraham J. Jackson.....58 Reade street
Boaz Levy..... 619 Houston street
William Wilson 181 Bowery
Bridget Costello.....501 Pearl street
Robert Simpson.....195 Bowery
John J. Levy.....45 Sixth avenue
Patrick Fallon..... 121 West Broadway
Neil Logue.....493 Pearl street
Hugh Daniel Smythe.....238 East Eighteenth street
Barnard Mullen.....50 Worth street
Patrick Doyle 159 Leonard street
Esther A. Crawford.....280 Division street
Hugh McAleenan.....62 Mulberry street
Robert Malone.....28 Thomas street
Jacob L. Phillips.....107 Grand street
David Dealy.....594 Eighth avenue
Peter O'Brien.....39 West Broadway
Jonas Solomon.....145 Grand street
Reuben B. De Barre.....56½ Bowery
Hugh Finigan.....132 Twenty-fourth street
D. G. Ferguson.....174 Varick street
George Higgins.....194 West Twenty-first street
John Lynch.....61 Grand street
Whole number 42, at $50 each.....$2,100.

LICENSED DEALERS IN SECOND-HAND ARTICLES.

In the city of New York, from May 1, 1855, to February 1, 1857.

Wm. H. Cudlipp 308 Hudson street
James Feely 131 Third avenue
Marc Wasch.....125 Delancey street
Peter Granget.....121 Delancey street
D. M. Mills.....278 Delancey street
Ralph Levy.....241 Ninth avenue
Francis Appel.....126 Greenwich avenue
Mary Divine 80 West Broadway
Anthony Crossen.....96 Baxter street
Isaac Cohen.....315½ Bowery
Joseph Wilson.....171 Bowery
Newman Stech.....20 Baxter street
M. De Wolf 116 Baxter street
Aaron Levy 10 Baxter street
M. Jacobs.....6 Baxter street
Davis Webstein.....4 Baxter street

Joel Elsas.....12 Baxter street
George Green.....30 Baxter street
Edward Morris.....98 Baxter street
Hugh McCaffrey.....76 Catharine street
Lawrence Graham.....181 Avenue A
Elias Cohen.....76 Baxter street
Abraham Jacobs.....16 Baxter street
James Malcolmson.....302 Ninth street
Joseph Cullen.....542 Eighth avenue
Erzador Levy.....66 Baxter street
Moses Isaacs.....8 Baxter street
Morris Abraham.....38 Baxter street
Henry Regan.....151 Bowery
Hyman Israel.....7 Baxter street
Marx Lesser.....56 Baxter street
Julius Moses.....5 Baxter street
John Smith.....182 Twenty-ninth street
Margaret Dawson.....127 Third avenue
James Morgan.....171 Prince street
Henry Harris.....156 Seventh avenue
Wm. D. Oysterman.....291 Houston street
Eliza Mellor.....129 Sullivan street
Edmund Dwyer.....160 West Broadway
John Dunn.....211 Spring street
Bernard Quinlan.....242 Broome street
Louis J. Scheilt.....117½ Division street
David Wyatt.....61 Hudson street
Emanuel Cohen.....117 Chatham street
Emanuel B. Pike.....81 Chatham street
Philip Dowd.....90 Hudson street
James McGlone.....4 Bayard street
John Chenoworth.....561 Hudson street
Louisa Thompson.....552 Hudson street
Alexander M. Barnard.....2 Stuyvesant street
Thomas Cavaney.....488 Pearl street
Mather Johnston.....73 Chatham street
John G. Danner.....270 Spring street
George W. Kipp.....52 West Broadway
Jacob Schevelin.....586 Eighth avenue
Solomon Cohen.....52 West Broadway
Henry Bowher.....463 Ninth avenue
Eliza Reed.....484 Hudson street
David Davis.....275 Ninth avenue
Frederick Frambach.....23 Sixth avenue
Timothy Murphy.....124 Third avenue
Thomas Lively.....303 Seventh avenue

Hugh Sinclair.....269 Second street
Rosanna Weinburg.....100 Baxter street
A. Alexander.....66 Baxter street
James Timoncy.....8 Roosevelt street
Henry Chave.....233 Seventh avenue
James Moroney.....479½ Pearl street
John McDowell.....20 West Broadway
Daniel Marley.....557 Broadway
Conrad Kain.....8½ Baxter street
Jacob Solomon.....98½ Baxter street
Abraham Myers.....40 Baxter street
Caroline Mitchell.....18 Baxter street
Michael Schwartz.....98 Baxter street
Harris Wolff.....84 Baxter street
Abraham Levy.....22 Baxter street
Samuel Stone.....22 Baxter street
Joseph Frank.....13 Baxter street
David Williams.....16 Baxter street
M. A. Shaves.....Sixth avenue
Solomon Colman.....60 Baxter street
Michael Gillen.....62 Centre street
Harris Brock.....62 Baxter street
James F. Lawler.....123 Sixth avenue
Joseph Green.....56½ baxter street
Morris Ahern.....80 Baxter street
John Imlly.....285 Ninth avenue
Benjamin Jetter.....677½ Eighth avenue
Charles Bartels.....57 West Broadway
James Thompson.....271 First avenue
Michael Morris.....169 Chatham street
T. Schmezel.....214 Centre street
James Dillworth.....14 Goerck street
Felix Boylan.....180 Thirty-fifth street
Richard Hennessey.....363 Third avenue
Patrick Gallagher.....485 Third avenue
Edward M. Morris.....3 James street
David J. Polak.....210 Canal street
Benjamin Weaver, jr.....408 Ninth avenue
Moss Davies.....291 Ninth avenue

Whole number 101, at $25 each.....$2,525.

LICENSED KEEPERS OF INTELLIGENCE OFFICES.

In the city of New York, from May 1, 1856, to February 1, 1857.

Clark Mason.....145 Bowery
Clark Mason.....14 Sixth avenue

Josiah Ridgly.....47 Ludlow street
Peter Cooper & M. Dermott.....13 and 14 Astor place
Edward Carroll.....72 Sixth avenue
Josiah Watts.....240 Grand street
Wm. Henderson.....77 Nassau street
Arthur Wesley.....195 Seventh avenue
John S. Scudder.....7 Eleventh street
John O'Gallaghan.....60 East Fourteenth street
John Young.....7 Carmine street
Frederick Gumbert.....302 Eighth avenue
William Manning.....271 Bowery
M. Steiner.....223 Bowery
John Stemmuller.....261 Bowery
Charles Bookham.....149 Grand street
William Walker.....470 Sixth avenue
Alexander F. Runge.....275 Bowery
Thomas Cook.....248 Bowery
Henry Meyer.....120 Greenwich street
William O'Brien.....129 Waverley place
John Ingebrand.....29 Greenwich street
Frederick L. Seeley.....67 Greenwich street
Louis Kaufmann.....Corner of Beekman and Nassau streets
Julius Winohoff.....29 Ann street
Thomas P. Saunders.....480 Broadway
James McMellan.....57 Cedar street
Lewis Tilman.....27 Sixth street
T. H. Hare.....71½ Allen street
Joseph W. Kister.....12 North William street
Seaman, Frazer & Bleech.....228 Third avenue
Louis Muller.....139 Bowery
Edward Gillen.....4 East Broadway
Caleb C. Bedell (firm of Morris Cohnent).....100 Greenwich street
Caleb Bedell.....287 Broadway
Samuel Odell.....13 Eighth avenue
Wm. Baker.....1049 Broadway
John Manning.....345 Eighth avenue
Solomon Feare.....94 Luane street
Philip A. Beil.....99 Leonard street
Jacob H. Fonda.....350 Bleecker street

Whole number 41; of which 27 are renewals, at $12 50 each, $337 50
And 14 are new licenses, at $25 each..... 350 00

Total..... $687 50

LICENSED KEEPERS OF JUNK SHOPS

In the city of New York, from May 1, 1856, to February 1, 1857.

John May.....199 West Fifty-third street
Timothy Moriarty.....254½ Front street
John Kenneally.....38 West Broadway
Thomas O'Connor.....51 Pearl street
Bernard McCabe.....68 Seventh avenue
John Stiles.....3 Franklin market
John O'Brien.....226 South street
John Cunley.....227 South street
David Crawley.....302 Front street
Peter Quinlin.....189 Church street
Timothy McNamara.....68 Baxter street
Patrick Carroll.....120 Mulberry street
John Kelly.....45 Madison street
Morris Sullivan.....180 Chambers street
Barnard Oakes.....31 Leonard street
James McMahon.....44 West Broadway
Michael Madigan.....685 Washington street
David Scamell.....120 West street
Thomas Lyons.....135 Baxter street
Henry Munker.....26 Thirty-ninth street
Patrick Clifford.....596 Eighth avenue
Thomas Jones.....164 Worth street
Rody McLaughlin.....150 Baxter street
Michael Donovan.....92 Montgomery street
Charles Mulligan.....264 Thirty-sixth street
Patrick McCabe.....52 Park street
Mary Murphy.....258 South street
Henry Morange.....174 William street
John Taylor.....140 Church street
Charles Carnely.....574 Second avenue
Miles Collins.....626 Eighth avenue
Wm. Scully.....60 James street
Michael S. Kelly.....101 Watts street
Thomas Cuff.....326 Forty-ninth street
James Elliott.....32 Gold street
John Donovan.....369 South street
Peter Kelly.....190 West Sixteenth street
Jos. Twibbles.....89 James street
John Fitzgerald.....21 Willet street
Jos. Welsh.....59 West street
James Hearne.....71½ Roosevelt street
Daniel Daly.....366 Water street
Dennis McCarthy.....257 Front street

Hermand Atler.....90 West Thirty-first street
Andrew Baldwin.....25 Morris street
Michael Capon.....393 Pearl street
Cornelius Hartnedy.....271 South street
Patrick Buckley.....31 Rector street
David Dradd.....23 James slip
Hugh McGough.....238 West Sixteenth street
Wm. H. Dean.....19 Beekman street
John Tobey.....123 Chrystie street
Croly Burrows.....290 Front street
Henry Newman.....Fifty-first street, near Ninth avenue
Edward Fallon.....197 Hester street
Terrence Donnelly.....24 Twelfth street
John Welsh.....162 Cherry street
Patrick Gillen.....484 Greenwich street
Michael Hanley.....41 Baxter street
John McGarity.....82 Hamersley street
Richard Feneter.....18 Dover street
Morris Roach.....61 Beach street
Samuel Madigan.....713 Washington street
Ed McQuade.....104 Seventh avenue
George Carey.....715 Washington street
James Gillen.....185 Rivington street
Oliver Robertson.....97 Market slip
John Smith.....79 Norfolk street
Michael McQuade.....656 Water street
Ellen Hallisay.....123 Roosevelt street
Owen Carey.....56 Centre street
Wm. Lumer.....42 West Broadway
John Farrell.....644 Greenwich street
Daniel O'Brien.....16 Carlisle street
Mathew Tracey.....147 Cedar street
Hugh O'Connor.....321 Third street
Thomas McCurly.....24 Morris street
Daniel Eagan.....456 Greenwich street
Stephen Whistan.....14½ Greenwich avenue
Hugh Lackey.....18 James slip
John McLaughlin.....138 Chrystie street
Patrick Doyle.....382 Tenth avenue
Patrick Gilmore.....726 Washington street
Bernard Hew.....34 Park street
Bartley Shana.....33 Gansevoort street
James Green.....144 Worth street
Mary Brady.....377 Seventh avenue
Phil. Kearns.....91 First street
James Smith.....30 East street

Patrick McCarthy.....289 Front street
John O'Donohue.....293 Front street
James Duffy.....269½ Seventh avenue
Ellen Lane.....52 Jefferson street
Timothy Curtan.....291 West Twenty-eighth street
John Lane.....90 West street
Daniel Bradley.....95 Baxter street
John Sullivan.....56 Centre street
Charles Moag.....155 Ludlow street
Elizabeth McManus.....65 Orchard street
Philip McQuade.....370 Greenwich street
Mathew McNulty.....591 Greenwich street
Michael McAlynev.....31 Pitt street
Cornelius Collins.....222 South street
Ursule Blyfus.....228 Second street
Andrew O'Shirney.....342 West street
Walter Willis.....379 Cherry street
Barclay Hawkins.....120 West Eighteenth street
James McArdle.....89 Seventeenth street
Hugh Grimes.....246 Stanton street
John Moss.....114 Baxter street
Thomas Ford.....220 East Twentieth street
Edward Hughes.....159 Lewis street
James Fullerton.....340 Third street
James Lamb.....89 Pike street
Jacob Muir.....308 Water street
John Desmond.....235 West Seventeenth street
Michael Carroll.....80 Centre street
Francis Duffy.....306 Twelfth street
John Gillen.....54 Mulberry street
Ed. Moss.....56 Jackson street
Philip Duffy.....107 Delancey street
Michael McEntee.....278 Thirty-fifth street
Francis Ruddy.....482 Ninth avenue
Thomas Temple.....210 Avenue C
Terrence Carrigan.....175 West Fortieth street
James Keenan.....126 East Twenty-second street
Wm. Rodgers.....278 West Forty-seventh street
John Kurtz.....36½ Baxter street
Patrick Malone.....140 Worth street
Ed. Duffy.....449 Cherry street
Edward Budjut.....111 Delancey street
John Larzer.....208 Avenue C
James McBride.....192½ Division street
Patrick Croaghan.....218 Stanton street
Peter Schreibner.....240 Third street

James O'Donnell.....16 Jackson street
Philip Sheridan.....119 Lewis street
John Downs.....90 Laight street
Patrick McNulty.....138 Stanton street
John Ambrose.....109 Delancey street
Henry Callahan.....122 Forty-first street
Frances McSearly.....98 West Nineteenth street
Edward Garigan.....68 Hamersley street
James D. Lane.....305 West Twenty-ninth street
Francis McMahon.....205 South street
John Fitzpatrick.....Delancey and East streets
Patrick Coyle.....24 Broome street
Neil McLaughlin, Eleventh avenue, bet. Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth sts.
Philip Carahan.....263 Stanton street
Solomon Freburgh.....243 Second street
Patrick Smith.....39 Willet street
Daniel Bradley.....36 Spring street
James Ward.....71 Broome street
Peter McKnight.....242 Stanton street
Thomas Riley.....106 East Twenty-second street
Vincent Sargent.....206 Third street
Patrick McMahon.....274 Seventeenth street
Ross McMahon.....132 East Thirty-sixth street
Owen McArdle.....177 Twenty-sixth street
John White.....Seventeenth street and avenue B
Margaret Hurley.....87 West street
John Burke.....8 Depeyster street
Owen Cunniskey.....289 East Thirteenth street
Thomas McQuade.....189 Eleventh street
Patrick Keenan.....265 East Eighteenth street
Peter Rolet.....160 West Twentieth street
James Sweeney.....76 Baxter street
Daniel Drew.....229 Seventeenth street
Owen Cowle.....695 Water street
Patrick Bager.....325 Forty-ninth street
John McBriarty.....46 Jay street
Ed. McGuire.....106 Willet street
Thomas Boyes.....Hamersley street
William Brady.....203 Stanton street
John McElvey.....99 Baxter street
John Griffin.....27 Mulberry street
Patrick Meehan.....330 East Thirteenth street
P. McCormick.....284 Thirteenth street
James Sweet.....228 West street
John Atherden.....166 Maiden lane
Bernard Murtha.....334 West Twenty-ninth street

Bernard Cain.....42½ Cherry street
Patrick Kernan.....Broadway and Fifty-first street
Patrick Mooney.....100 Twenty-second street
Patrick Donovan.....16 Moore street
Andrew Long.....Broadway, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets
Maurice Quinlan.....88 Pine street
John Gallivan.....101 Gold street
Michael Goggin.....56 West Broadway
Thomas Fraser.....93 Market slip
James Dillon.....506 Water street
Thomas Kennedy.....514 Water street
Patrick Ragin.....78 Pike street
William Jones.....180 West Thirty-fifth street
William Ellis.....233 West street
Eugene Egan.....354 Greenwich street
Patrick Tigh.....62 Spring street
Michael Glennon.....172 South street
Francis O'Keefe.....88 West street
John McCoy.....70 Hester street
Barnard Brady.....19 Albany street
James McLaughlin.....33 Laurens street
James Synott.....130 Leroy street
Andrew Busman.....13 Carlisle street
Elizabeth Gilligan.....519 Sixth avenue
Peter Murray.....219 Lewis street
John Gunning.....17 East street
Robert Nugent.....87 West Seventeenth street
Bridget Crossen.....77 Baxter street
Patrick Murphy.....Beach and West streets
William Harkins.....135 Walker street
Francis Holzmeister.....121 Willet street
James Bannan.....58 West Broadway
Jos. Conway & Co.....243 Stanton street
John Carger.....34 Park street
John O'Brien.....175 South street
Charles Drude.....144 Christopher street
John Carroll.....40 Grand street
Hugh Morris.....207 Elizabeth street
Rose Caley.....216 East Thirteenth street
Michael Carroll.....174 Twenty-fourth street
Robert Dillworth.....580 Hudson street
Laurence Mulligan.....107 Willet street
James Clark.....17 East street
Michael McLaughlin.....148 East Twenty-eighth street
Andrew Garigan.....141 West Thirty-first street
John McGough.....261 Stanton street

John Harrison, jr.....40 Dover street
Michael O'Connor.....158 South street
James W. Lyon.....327 and 329 Stanton street
Michael Cline.....13 Carlisle street
Wm. Bresman.....16 Dover street
Owen Keenan.....110 Norfolk street
Patrick Higgins.....249 Thirteenth street
Thomas Murray.....170 South street
Patrick Cavanagh.....240 Mott street
Henry Pfaff...Ninth avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets
John G. Sperber..Fifty-second street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues
Michael McCann.....143 Cedar street
John Klein.....213 Second street
John Manix.....175 Reade street
Edward Burke.....9 Moore street
Daniel Sweeney.....297 Front street
Dennis Sullivan.....10 Roosevelt street
Mary Hartolle.....71 Baxter street
John McGinn.....22 Sullivan street
Luke Carrigan.....291 Front street
Hugh Maginnis.....245 East Thirteenth street
Timothy Bresnahan.....42 West street

Whole number 249, at $25 each.....$6,225.

300 licenses have also been granted in connection with the above, to keep junk carts and boats, at $10 each, amounting to.....3,000

Total.....$9,225

LINES OF OMNIBUSES.

FOR WHICH LICENSES HAVE BEEN ISSUED FROM JULY, 1856, TO FEBRUARY, 1857.

New York Consolidated Stage Company.

This company was formed under an act of the legislature, passed April 4, 1854, entitled "An act to regulate stage routes in the city of New York, and to provide for the formation of companies to operate the same.—(*Laws of New York, Seventy-seventh Session, Chapter 142, page 325.*)

It is composed of the following lines, viz:

ROUTE—From Forty-second street, down Broadway to Whitehall street, to South ferry—30 two horse stages.

ROUTE—From Thirty-second street and Fourth avenue, down Fourth avenue, Broadway and Whitehall street to South Ferry—35 two horse stages.

ROUTE—From Avenue B and Fourteenth street, through Avenue B to Tenth street; through Tenth street to Avenue A, to Eighth street, to Broadway, to Whitehall street, to South ferry; with permission to extend their line through Tenth street to the Green Point ferry, East river—27 two horse stages.

ROUTE—From Forty-second street, down Seventh and Greenwich avenues to Amity street; through Amity street to Broadway; to and through Broadway to Fulton street, to Fulton ferry—30 two horse stages.

ROUTE—From the Wall street ferry, up Wall street to Broadway; up Broadway to Forty-second street; through Forty-second street to the Crystal Palace—20 two horse stages.

ROUTE—Commencing at Second avenue and Thirty-fourth street; down Second avenue to Fourteenth street, to Broadway; down Broadway to Barclay street, to the ferry—5 two horse stages.

ROUTE—From the Hudson River Railroad depot, through Thirty-first street, or one of the neighboring streets, to and through Ninth avenue to Fourteenth street, to Broadway; down Broadway to Whitehall street and South ferry—31 two horse stages.

ROUTE—From the Crystal Palace, through Fortieth street to Madison avenue; through Madison avenue to Thirtieth street; through Thirtieth street to Fourth avenue; through Fourth avenue to Broadway; down Broadway to Wall street; through Wall street to Wall street ferry—5 two horse stages.

(Comprising eight distinct stage routes, for which one hundred and eighty-three licenses have been issued.)

T. Townsend & Co.

ROUTE—From Forty-sixth street, down Sixth avenue to and through Ninth street to Broadway; down Broadway and Whitehall street to the South ferry—20 two horse stages.

ROUTE—From Forty-sixth street, through Sixth avenue and Eighth street to Broadway; down Broadway and Whitehall street to the South ferry—20 two horse stages.

Mackrell & Simpson.

ROUTE—From Tenth street and Avenue C; through Tenth street to Avenue D; through Avenue D to Lewis and Grand streets, to East Broadway; down East Broadway to Chatham street, to Broadway, to Whitehall street, to South ferry—30 two horse stages.

Simeon M. Andrews.

ROUTE—From the corner of Forty-second street and Fifth avenue; through Fifth avenue to Thirteenth street, to University place, to Eleventh street, to Broadway, to Fulton street, to the Fulton ferry—32 two horse stages.

Charles Curtis & Co.

ROUTE—From the Williamsburgh ferry, through Grand street to Broadway; through Broadway to Canal street; through Canal street to Greenwich street; through Greenwich street to Cortlandt street; through Cortlandt street to the ferry—34 two horse stages.

Charles Curtis & Co.—Transfer Line.

ROUTE—From the Williamsburgh ferry at the foot of Grand street East river, through Grand street to the eastern side of Broadway—6 two horse stages.

Knickerbocker Stage Co.

ROUTE—From Twenty-third street, down Eighth avenue, to and through Bleecker street to Broadway; down Broadway and Whitehall street to South ferry—36 two horse stages.

ROUTE—From the corner of Twenty eighth street and Eighth avenue, to Fourth street; through Fourth street to Sixth avenue; through Sixth avenue to Carmine and Bedford streets, to Houston street, to Broadway; down Broadway to Maiden lane and South street, to the west side of South street, near Burling slip and Fulton street—20 two horse stages.

Dry Dock Line—D. L. Young.

ROUTE—From the north-east corner of Avenue C and Tenth street; through Tenth street to Avenue D; through Avenue D to and through Columbia and Grand streets to the Bowery; down the Bowery, Chatham street, Park row, Broadway and Whitehall street to the South ferry—28 two horse stages.

M. M. Owen.

ROUTE—Commencing at Thirty-first street and Tenth avenue; down Tenth avenue to Fourteenth street; through Fourteenth street to Ninth avenue and Greenwich street, to Spring street, to Broadway, to Broome street, to the Bowery and Chatham street, to the Catharine street ferry—15 two horse stages.

Sudlow & Siney.

ROUTE—From the northeast end of Avenue C; through Avenue C to Houston street, to Bowery; down Bowery, Chatham street and Broadway to Whitehall street and South ferry—25 two horse stages.

Murphy & Smith.

ROUTE—From the Crystal Palace, up Fortieth street to Madison avenue, to Twenty-third street, to Broadway; down Broadway to John street, to Nassau; down Nassau street to Wall street, to the ferry—35 two horse stages.

John S. Heird.

From Coenties slip up South street to Gouverneur street; up Gouverneur and Madison streets to Goerck street; up Goerck street to Third street; down Third street to Avenue D, and up Avenue D to the Green Point ferry, foot of Tenth street, E. R.—5 two horse stages.

Total number 489 two horse stages, at $20..$9,780

HACK LICENSES IN 1856.

No. of Hack licenses		358
" Special Hack licenses		230
Total		588
At $5 each	$2,940	
350 Drivers, at $1 each	350	
Total	$3,290	

RATES TO BE CHARGED BY CARTMEN.

Extract from Ordinance of Common Council, approved December 19, 1853.

Oils, molasses, liquors, and all wet casks containing less than 25 gallons, for every load	$0 38
Of 25 and under 50 gallons, for every four	0 40
Of 50 and under 100 gallons, for every two	0 45
Of 100 gallons and upward, for 100 gallons	0 50
Sugars, tobacco, copperas, and all dry casks of under 1,000 pounds weight, for every load	0 38
Of 1,000 pounds and under 1,500 pounds, each	0 45
Of 1,500 pounds and under 2,000 pounds, each	0 50
Of 2,000 pounds and upward, for every 100 pounds	0 05
And other ponderous articles of 1,000 pounds weight and upward at the same rate	
Hay, loose, per load	1 00
Bricks, when handled and piled, per load	0 40
Hoop poles, loose, per load	0 50
Timber and lumber, per load	0 35
Hemp, loose, for every 1,200 pounds	0 50
Beef and pork, for every 5 barrels	0 38
Calves, sheep and lambs, per load	0 35
Coal, per ton	0 50
Coal, per half chaldron	0 40
Cotton, for every three bales	0 38
Earthenware, loose, per load	0 40
Oil floor cloths, in boxes or loads of less than ten feet in length	0 33
Of ten feet and less than 15 feet in length, each	0 50
Of 15 feet and less than 20 feet in length, each	0 50
Of 20 feet and less than 24 feet in length, each	0 65
Of 24 feet and upward, as may be agreed on.	
Plaster of Paris, loose, per ton	$0 65
Salt, for every 20 bushels	0 33
Cut stone, per load	0 35
Slate or tile, per load	0 35
Household furniture, loose, per load	0 50
For loading, unloading, and housing furniture in the removal of families, extra, per load	0 50
Bedding, tied up, chests, trunks, and boxes, per load	0 38

Cassia, in mats, per 100 mats..... 0 25
Anchors of under 300 pounds weight, per load..... 0 38
" of 300 pounds weight, per load of 1,000 pounds..... 0 40
Chain cables of under 1,000 pounds weight, per load of 1,000 pounds weight and upward, per 100 pounds..... 0 05
Iron hollow ware, per load..... 0 40
Iron and steel, per load..... 0 45
Fish, dry, per load..... 0 50
And for every load of goods, wares, merchandise or other things not enumerated..... 0 28

Provided, That when the distance exceeds half a mile and is within a mile, one third more shall be added to the above rates and prices, and in the same proportion for any greater distance. And if any public cartman shall ask, demand, receive, take, exact or extort any greater rate, price, pay or compensation, for carting or transporting any article or thing whatsoever than is mentioned, allowed, expressed and limited as aforesaid, it shall not be lawful for him to receive any compensation for the said carting or transportation, and such asking or receiving shall be deemed a violation of this ordinance.

It shall not be lawful for any public cartman to neglect or refuse to carry and transport a good and sufficient load, as much as can be conveniently and safely stowed on his cart, or is reasonable for one horse to draw, nor any article of less than two thousand pounds weight, when required so to do, unless he be then actually otherwise employed; and every public cartman and public porter shall be entitled to be paid the legal rate of compensation allowed and provided in this ordinance, immediately upon the carting or transportation of any article or thing; and it may be lawful for any such public cartman or public porter, to retain any article or thing so carted or transported by him, for which he is not so paid his cartage, and to convey the same, without delay, to the office of Chief of Police, and he shall be entitled to the lawful rate of pay or compensation for the so conveying. All disputes or disagreements as to distance, or rates of compensation, between the public cartmen or public porters, and persons employing or owing them for cartage or transportation, shall be determined by the Mayor.

It shall not be lawful for any public cartman, or any other person, to cart or transport through any of the streets of said city, any poles, plank, spars, timber, or other thing exceeding thirty feet in length, except on a suitable track or other vehicle, and such plank or other thing be placed lengthwise thereon, so as not to project at either end beyond the line of the side or width of such truck or other vehicle; and all persons so carting or transporting any such poles, plank, timber, spars, or other things, in any other manner, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this article.

It shall not be lawful for the driver or other person having charge of any public cart, dirt cart, or any other vehicle, to be off or away from any such cart, or any other vehicle, while the same is moving or passing along any

of the streets or avenues of said city; nor shall it be lawful for any public cartman, while waiting for employment, at any place assigned for his cart to stand while waiting for employment, or at any other place, to snap or flourish his whip, or to be away from his cart, unless from necessity or on business, or to sit or stand about the door-steps or platforms in front of any house, store, or other building, to the annoyance of the occupants thereof.

It shall not be lawful for any person who has been licensed to keep public carts, or to be a public cartman, and whose license has been suspended or revoked by the Mayor, to keep, drive, or use any public cart in the city of New York, under the penalty of twenty-five dollars for every such offence.

The stanchions of every public cart employed in the transportation of any firewood shall be shouldered with a band of iron around the part which enters the mortice, and the mortice cased with iron, so as to prevent the wearing of the stanchion or mortice; or at least three feet distant from the floor of the cart, there shall be fixed across from one stanchion to the other, an iron chain, so as to prevent the stanchions from spreading, and no public cartman shall cart any firewood in violation of any of these provisions.

It shall not be lawful for any person to keep, drive, use or employ, any cart, wagon, truck, dray, or other vehicle, other than such as are licensed as herein provided, for the transportation or conveyance of any article or thing, from place to place, in the city of New York, unless the name and residence, or place of business, where such owner can be found, [of the owner thereof,] be fairly and distinctly painted with red paint, on a white ground in plain letters and figures, at least two and a half inches long, in a conspicuous place, on both sides of such cart or other vehicle, so as at all times to be easily seen thereon.

AN ORDINANCE

RELATIVE TO PUBLIC CARTS.

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York, as follows:

SEC. 1. Every cartman who shall be duly licensed in the city of New York shall be permitted to place and leave his cart, when unemployed, in front of the house or premises where he shall, at the time, reside, or in front of the stablo where he shall, at the time, stable his horse; provided that such cart shall be placed on the street upon the carriage-way thereof, in close proximity to the curb stone next to his said residence or stable, and shall not extend beyond said curb stone any greater distance than the width of such cart; nor beyond the line of the lot on which his said residence or stable is situated; and provided that such place of residence or stable shall be specified upon the license for such cart.

§ 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed; but nothing herein contained shall be con-

strued to apply to any vehicle other than public carts in the city of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Councilmen, May 16, 1856.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 23, 1856

Approved by the Mayor, May 24, 1856.

RECAPITULATION OF LICENCES.

NEW YORK, December 31, 1856.

Amount of Money received at the First Marshal's Desk during the year 1856.

9	Brokers' Licenses, at	$25 00	each		$225 00
11	Runners' "	20 00	"		220 00
12	Boarding-house "	10 00	"		120 00
123	Express "	5 00	"		615 00
92	Express " renewals,	$2 50	each		230 00
1,452	Public Cart "	2 50	"		3,630 00
4,390	" " renewals,	50	"		2,195 00
662	Cartmens' "	1 00	"		662 00
446	" " renewals,	50	"		223 00
38	Charcoal Peddlers' Licenses,	2 50	"		95 00
58	" renewals,	50	"		29 00
606	Dirt Cart Licenses,	1 00	"		606 00
204	" renewals,	25	"		51 00
104	Porters, "	1 00	"		104 00
184	" " renewals,	25	"		46 00
Fines					1,655 00

At this desk there has been, in addition to the above, fifteen hundred and seventy-eight cases of violations of the Corporation Ordinances, disposed of as follows:

In January	46	Brought forward	969
" February	44	In August	183
" March	185	" September	131
" April	170	" October	51
" May	161	" November	86
" June	154	" December	168
" July	199	Total	1578
Carried forward	969		

Six thousand two hundred and fifty-eight persons, applicants for various licenses, with their sureties, have also been qualified at this desk.

WM. H. STEPHENS, *First Marshal.*



POINT ISABEL, 1843.

TABLE OF DISTANCES.

FROM THE BATTERY.	FROM THE EXCHANGE.	FROM THE CITY HALL.	TO
Miles.	Miles	Miles.	
¼			Rector street.
½	¼		Fulton "
¾	½		Warren "
1	¾	¼	Leonard "
1¼	1	½	Canal "
1⅜	1¼	¾	Spring "
1¾	1½	1	Houston "
2	1¾	1¼	4th "
2¼	2	1½	9th "
2⅜	2¼	1¾	14th "
2¾	2½	2	17th "
3	2¾	2¼	24th "
3¼	3	2½	29th "
3⅜	3¼	2¾	34th "
3¾	3½	3	38th "
4	3¾	3¼	44th "
4¼	4	3½	49th "
4⅜	4¼	3¾	54th "
4¾	4½	4	58th "
5	4¾	4¼	63d "
5¼	5	4½	68th "
5⅜	5¼	4¾	73d "
5¾	5½	5	78th "
6	5¾	5¼	83d "
6¼	6	5½	88th "
6⅜	6¼	5¾	93d "
6¾	6½	6	97th "
7	6¾	6¼	102d "
7¼	7	6½	107th "
7⅜	7¼	6¾	112th "
7¾	7½	7	117th "
8	7¾	7¼	121st "
8¼	8	7⅝	126th "
8⅜	8¼	7¾	131st "
8¾	8½	8	136th "
9	8¾	8¼	140th "
9¼	9	8⅝	145th "
9⅜	9¼	8¾	150th "
9¾	9½	9	151th "

DISTANCES ACROSS THE DIFFERENT FERRIES FROM NEW YORK.

South Ferry.....1,066 yards.
Fulton Ferry..... 731 "
Catharine Ferry..... 735 "
Walnut street Ferry.. 635 "
Peck slip Ferry.....2,800 yards.
Williamsburgh Ferry. 950 "
Staten Island 6,418 "

CITY RAILROADS.

NAME OF COMPANY.	DATE OF GRANT BY COMMON COUNCIL.	ROUTE.	NO. OF CARS.	PRESIDENT OF COMPANY.
N. Y. & Hudson R. R.*	Dec. 22, 1831..	From the Astor House, along the Park, through Park row, Centre and Broome streets, Bowery, and Fourth avenue, to Twenty-seventh street; from thence with large cars to Harlem river...	..13	Philo Hurd.
N.Y. & New Haven R.R.*	Permission given by the Harlem Railroad to run upon their tracks.	On that portion of the route of the New York and Harlem Railroad, from corner of Centre and Canal streets to the Harlem river.....		J. R. Buckley.
Hudson River R. R.*..	May 6, 1847...	From corner of Chambers and Hudson streets; through Hudson, Canal and West streets to the Tenth avenue; thence to the Spuyten Duyvel creek.....		Samuel Sloan.
Sixth Avenue R. R.....	July 30, 1851..	From corner Barclay and Church; through Church and Chambers streets, West Broadway, Canal, Varick, Carmine streets, and the Sixth avenue, to Forty-fourth street; returning by the same route, with a single track through College place.	..43	Sidney Mason.
Eighth Avenue R. R....	July 30, 1851..	From corner Barclay and Church, through Church and Chambers streets, West Broadway, Canal and Hudson streets, and Eighth avenue to Fifty-ninth street; returning by the same route, with a single track through College place.....	..42	George Law.

Second Avenue R. R....	Dec. 11, 1852.	From corner of Forty-second street and Second avenue; through Second avenue, Twenty-third street, First avenue, Allen and Grand streets, Bowery, Chatham, Oliver and South streets, to Peck slip; returning through Pearl and Chatham streets, Bowery, Grand and Chrystie streets, and Second avenue to Twenty-third street; thence to Forty-second street.....	..18	Denton Pearsall.
Third Avenue Railroad..	Dec. 31, 1852.	From corner of Broadway and Park row; through Park row, Chatham street, Bowery and Third avenue to Sixty-first street.....	..40	William A. Darling.

* The first three named railroads have the trains running to different parts of the State; and the New York and New Haven and Hudson River Railroad companies have no city or small cars.

LAWS TO REGULATE PUBLIC PORTERS.

1. The Mayor shall license and appoint as many and such persons as he may think expedient, to be public porters of the city of New York, and revoke or suspend any or all such licenses at his pleasure, and it shall not be lawful for any person to use any wheelbarrow or hand-cart, to carry within said city, for hire, wages, or pay for such conveyance, or to be at any hotel, boarding-house, ferry, steamboat landing, railroad station or depot, and solicit of strangers, travelers, citizens or other persons, or accept the conveyance of baggage, or other articles, without being licensed as aforesaid by the Mayor.

This section shall not be construed to prevent any person keeping, or employed in, any hotel or boarding-house, from conveying any baggage or other articles to or from such hotel or boarding-house, and using a hand-cart or wheelbarrow therefor; provided the name of the hotel or boarding-house, and the keeper thereof, be painted distinctly on both sides of such wheelbarrow or hand-cart, and on a badge worn on the front of his hat or cap, so as to be easily and distinctly seen.

2. All licenses to public porters, granted as aforesaid, shall run one year from the date thereof, and may be renewed by the Mayor at any time within the said year, for a succeeding year.

3. Every person receiving a license to be a public porter, as aforesaid, shall pay to the Mayor for the use of the city, one dollar; and a further sum of seventy-five cents, upon the renewal of every such license.

4. Every public porter shall wear, in a conspicuous place about his person so as to be easily seen, a brass plate, or badge, on which shall be engraved his name, the words "public porter," and the number of his license, and it shall be unlawful for any other person to wear or exhibit any badge, purporting to be, resembling, or similar to, the badge of a public porter; and no public porter shall permit any other person to wear his badge, or use his name in any way whatever, in the transportation or conveyance of any thing.

5. Public porters shall be entitled to charge and receive for the carrying or conveyance of any article, any distance within half a mile, twelve cents, if carried by hand, and twenty-five cents, if carried on a wheelbarrow or hand-cart; if the distance exceeds half a mile, and is within one mile, one half the above rates in addition thereto, and in the same proportion for any greater distance.

6. If any public porter shall ask or demand any greater rate of pay or compensation for the carrying or conveyance of articles than is herein provided, he shall not be entitled to any pay for the said service; and to so ask, demand, or receive any such greater pay or compensation, shall be deemed a violation of this ordinance.

7. It shall not be lawful for any person to represent himself as, or to wear or exhibit any badge, inscription, card, or device, purporting or implying that he is employed or authorized by the keeper, proprietor, agent

or officer of any hotel, boarding-house, vessel, steamboat, or railroad company, to solicit, receive or convey persons, baggage, or other things to or from any such hotel, boarding-house, vessel, steamboat, or railroad company's station or depot, without being actually and duly authorized by such keeper, proprietor, officer or agent, so to do, under the penalty of twenty-five dollars for every offence.

All persons who shall violate or fail to comply with any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a mis-demeanor, and conviction thereof shall be published pursuant to the provisions of sections 20 and 21 of an act relative to the powers of the Common Council of the city of New York, and the criminal courts of said city, passed by the legislature of the state of New York, January 23d, 1833, or in lieu thereof, shall forfeit and pay, for the use of said city, ten dollars for each and every offence, except where a penalty is prescribed in said ordinance.

EXTRACT FROM ORDINANCES,

OF THE RATES AND PRICES OF FARES

TO BE CHARGED BY HACKNEY COACHES.

The prices or rates of fares to be taken by, or paid to the owners or drivers of hackney coaches or carriages, shall be as follows:

For conveying a passenger any distance not exceeding one mile, fifty cents; for conveying two passengers the same distance, seventy-five cents, or thirty-seven and a half cents each; and for every additional passenger thirty-seven and a half cents.

For conveying a passenger any distance exceeding a mile, and within two miles, seventy-five cents; and for every additional passenger thirty-seven and a half cents.

For conveying a passenger to the new alms-house and returning, one dollar; and for every additional passenger and returning, fifty cents.

For conveying one passenger to Fortieth street and remaining half an hour, and returning, one dollar and a half; and for every additional passenger, fifty cents.

For conveying one passenger to Sixty-first street, and remaining three quarters of an hour, and returning, two dollars; and for every additional passenger fifty cents.

For conveying one passenger to Eighty-sixth street, and remaining one hour, and returning, two dollars and a half; and for every additional passenger seventy-five cents.

For conveying one or more passengers to Harlem and returning, with the privilege of remaining three hours, five dollars; or to High Bridge, five dollars, with the same privilege.

For conveying one or more passengers to King's Bridge, and returning, with the privilege of keeping the carriage all day, five dollars.

For the use of a hackney coach or carriage by the day, with one or more passengers, five dollars.

For the use of a hackney coach or carriage by the hour, with one or more passengers, with the privilege of going from place to place, and stopping as often as may be required, one dollar an hour.

In all cases where the hiring of a hackney coach or carriage is not at the time thereof specified to be by the day or hour, it shall be deemed to be by the mile.

For children between two and fourteen years of age, half price is only to be charged; and for children under two years of age, no charge is to be made.

Whenever a hackney coach or carriage shall be detained, excepting as aforesaid, the owner or driver shall be allowed after the rate of seventy-five cents an hour.

Every driver or owner of a hackney coach, carriage or cab, shall carry, transport and convey, in, and upon his coach, carriage or cab, in addition to the person or persons therein, one trunk, valise, saddle-bag, carpet-bag, portmanteau or box, if he be requested so to do, for each passenger, without charge or compensation therefor; but for every trunk or other such articles above-named, more than one for each passenger, he shall be entitled to demand and receive the sum of six cents.

In case of disagreement as to distance or price, the same shall be determined by the Mayor or Superintendent of Hackney Coaches or Carriages.

The owner of any hackney coach or carriage shall not demand or receive any pay for the conveyance of any passenger, unless the number of the carriage, and the rates and prices of fare, shall be fixed and placed in a manner hereinafter directed by section second of title fourth of this ordinance, at the time such passenger may be conveyed in such carriage.

The owner or driver of any hackney coach or carriage shall not be entitled to recover or receive any pay from any person, from whom he shall have demanded any greater price or rates than he may be authorized to receive as aforesaid.

Upon the trial of any cause commenced for the recovery of any of the aforesaid prices or rates, it shall be incumbent upon the plaintiff or plaintiffs in such action, to prove that the number and prices or rates were placed and fixed in pursuance of the provisions of this ordinance, at the time the services were rendered, for which the suit may be brought.

No owner or driver of any hackney coach or carriage in the city of New York, shall ask, demand or receive any larger sum than he or they may be entitled to receive as aforesaid, under the penalty of ten dollars for every such offence, to be sued for and recovered from the owner or owners, or driver of any such hackney coach or carriage, severally and respectively.

AN ORDINANCE

IN ADDITION TO AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE FOR LICENSING AND OTHERWISE REGULATING THE USE AND EMPLOYMENT OF CARTS AND CARTMEN, DIRT CARTS AND DIRT CARTMEN, AND PUBLIC PORTERS, AND FOR THE PRESERVATION OF GOOD ORDER IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK."

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, in Common Council convened, do ordain as follows:

§ 1. All the provisions of this ordinance, to which this is an addition, as far as relates to carts and cartmen, and not inconsistent herewith excepting sections 2, 3, 5, 10, 17 and 18, are extended to, and shall include and be applicable to all wagons and other vehicles commonly known as express wagons, which shall be kept, or used, driven or employed for the transportation of any thing whatsoever, to, or from any place within the city of New York, from or to any place whatsoever, for hire, wages or pay; provided always, that the owner or owners of such wagons or vehicles shall have a place in the city of New York for the transaction of such business.

§ 2 The Mayor shall find time to license and appoint so many and such persons as he may think proper to set up and keep one or more express wagons in said city; and he may revoke or suspend any or all such licenses at his pleasure; but it shall not be lawful for any person to receive or hold a license to keep such express wagon, unless he is the actual owner of the wagon or wagons, and of a good horse or horses therefor, nor unless he be a citizen of the United States, and has a family, and resides with his family in said city; or if not having a family, shall have resided himself therein during the six months preceding; and the Mayor may examine, under oath, all persons applying for or holding any such license, or the renewal thereof, touching their qualifications, as aforesaid; and all licenses, other than to persons so qualified, shall be void.

§ 3. The Mayor shall require and receive, for the use of the city, from every person to whom he may grant license to keep such express wagons, five dollars for every wagon so licensed, and two dollars and fifty cents for the licenses of each such wagon renewed.

§ 4. Every such express wagon shall have fairly painted on the outside thereof, in a conspicuous place, on each side, so as to be easily seen, in plain letters and figures of at least two and a half inches in length, the name of the owner or owners, the place of business in said city, and the number of the license for such wagon, and such owner or owners shall be responsible for all articles intrusted to such wagon or to the driver thereof, and for the conduct of such driver, whilst in charge of or with such wagon.

§ 5. No person shall drive such express wagon, unless he be twenty-one years of age, and have obtained license from the Mayor for such purpose, under the penalty of ten dollars for every such offence, to be recovered from the owner or owners of such express wagon, and from such driver, both or either.

§ 6. The Mayor is hereby authorized to grant licenses, from time to time, to drivers of such express wagons, as are herein mentioned, as often as may be necessary, and to suspend and revoke the same whenever he may deem it expedient.

§ 7. Any driver of any express wagon, who shall be thrice convicted of a breach of any of the sections of this ordinance, shall be deprived of his license, and forever debarred of a liceense under this ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE

TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE FOR THE LICENSING AND OTHERWISE REGULATING THE USE AND EMPLOYMENT OF EXPRESS WAGONS, CARTS AND CARTMEN," &c., &c., APPROVED BY THE MAYOR, JUNE 2, 1851.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of New York, in Common Council convened, do ordain as follows:

SEC. 2. The Mayor shall, from time to time, license and appoint so many and such persons as he may think proper, to set up and keep public carts in said city, provided that no one person shall be so licensed to keep more than three such public carts. And he shall also license so many, and such persons as he may think proper, to be public cartmen of said city, and he may revoke or suspend any or all of such licenses at his pleasure; all persons licensed as aforesaid, to keep public carts, shall be deemed to be public cartmen, within the meaning of this ordinance; but it shall not be lawful for any person to receive or to hold a license to keep public carts, or to be a public cartman, unless he be a citizen of the United States, and resident within the state of New York, and is the actual owner of the cart or carts, with good horses therefor, so licensed to be kept as public carts; and the Mayor may examine, under oath, all persons applying for, or holding any such license, or the renewal thereof, touching their qualifications as aforesaid; and all licenses, other than to persons so qualified, shall be void.

Adopted by the Board of Councilmen, May 9, 1856.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 15, 1856.
Approved by the Mayor, July 30, 1856.



Lith. by C. Hayward, 120 Water St. N.Y. for D.T. Valentine's Manual for 1857.

BURNHAM'S HOTEL, BLOOMINGDALE ROAD, N.Y.

GENERAL INFORMATION.

Alms-house.....Blackwell's Island
American Institute.....351 Broadway
Armory, City.....corner Elm and White streets
Arsenal, New York State.....Sixty-fifth street and Fifth avenue
Assay Office.....adjoining Custom House, Pine street
Astor Library.....Lafayette place
Bloomingdale Asylum (for the insane)...117th street, west side Tenth av.
Custom House.....corner of Nassau and Wall streets
City Prison.....bounded by Centre, Elm, Leonard and Franklin streets
Columbia College.....foot of Park place
Court of Sessions.....66 Crosby street
Deaf and Dumb Institute.....Fiftieth street, corner Fourth avenue
Debtors' Prison.....22 Eldridge street
Dispensary, New York City.....114 White street, corner of Centre
Dispensary, Eastern.....Ludlow street, corner of Essex market place
Dispensary, Northern.....Waverley place, corner of Christopher street
Dispensary, Demilt.....Second avenue, corner of Twenty-fourth street
Dispensary, North-western.....501 Eighth avenue
Ear and Eye Infirmary.....corner Thirteenth street and Second avenue
House of Refuge.....Randall's Island
Lunatic Asylum.....Blackwell's Island
Lyceum of Natural History.....554 Broadway
Medical College of the New York University.....659 Broadway
Mercantile Library Association.....Astor place Building
Merchants' Exchange.....Wall street, corner of William
Mechanics' Institute.....corner Bowery and Division street
Museum, American.....Broadway, corner of Ann street
New York Society Library.....N. Y. Bible House, cor. 8th st. and 3d av.
National Academy of Design.....Broadway, near Bond street
New York City Hospital.....319 Broadway
New York Institution for the Blind...Ninth avenue, near Thirty-third st.
New York Board of Education.....140 Grand street, corner Elm
New York University.....Wooster street, corner Waverley place
New York Historical Society, Library in N. Y. University, Wash'n square
New York Law Institute.....New City Hall
New York Lyceum.....East Fourteenth street, near Third avenue
Orphan Asylum.....Bloomingdale, near Eightieth street
Opthalmic Hospital.....Stuyvesant street
Penitentiary.....Blackwell's Island
Rutgers Female Institute.....244 Madison street, near Clinton
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum.....Fifth avenue and Fifty-first street
Stuyvesant Institute.....659 Broadway

PAINTINGS

In the Governor's Room, City Hall.

1.	Governor	Lewis	Painted by	Trumbull.
2.	"	Tompkins	"	Trumbull.
3.	"	Clinton	"	Catlin.
4.	"	Yates	"	Vanderlyn.
5.	"	Van Buren	"	Inman.
6.	"	Throop	"	Weir.
7.	"	Marcy	"	Paige
8.	"	Seward	"	Inman.
9.	"	Bouck	"	Elliott.
10.	"	Wright	"	Whitehorne.
11.	"	Young	"	H. P. Gray.
12.	"	Fish	"	——
13.	"	Hunt	"	Elliott.
1.	Mayor	Duane	"	——
2.	"	Varick	"	——
3.	"	Livingston	"	——
4.	"	Clinton	"	Parmecelli.
5.	"	Willett	"	Waldo.
6.	"	Radcliffe	"	Waldo.
7.	"	Halden	"	Vanderlyn.
8.	"	Allen	"	Waldo & Jewett.
9.	"	Paulding	"	Morse.
10.	"	Hone	"	Vanderlyn.
11.	"	Bowne	"	Weir.
12.	"	Lee	"	Inman.
13.	"	Lawrence	"	Inman.
14.	"	Clark	"	Inman.
15.	"	Varian	"	Mooney.
16.	"	Morris	"	Spencer.
17.	"	Harper	"	Inman & Hun't on
18.	"	Havemeyer	"	Matteson.
19.	"	Mickle	"	Mooney.
20.	"	Brady	"	Wensler.
21.	"	Woodhull	"	Charles Jarvis.
22.	"	Kingsland	"	——
23.	Mayor	Westervelt	"	Mooney.
	President	Washington	"	——
	"	Monroe	"	Vanderlyn.
	"	Taylor	"	Vanderlyn.
	"	Fillmore	"	——
	General	McComb	"	Waldo.
	"	Brown	"	Jarvis.
	"	Scott	"	Kellogg.

Commodore Perry.....Painted by Jarvis.
" Decatur..... " Sully.
" Bainbridge..... " Jarvis.
" Swift..... " Jarvis.
General Lafayette..... " Morse.
" Monckton..... " Morse.
" Bolivar..... " ——
" Williams..... " Trumbull.
" Paez..... " Charles Jarvis.
" Jacob Morton..... " Charles Jarvis.
Governor Stuyvesant.....Painted from family portrait.
D. T. Valentine, Esq.....Painted by Charles Jarvis.
Hendrick Hudson.....Original.
Columbus.....Original.
G. Washington (worked in silk), from city of Lyons, France.

In Board of Aldermen's Chamber.

General Washington..... ..Painted by Trumbull.
Governor Clinton..... " Trumbull.
John Jay..... " Weimar.
Alexander Hamilton..... " Weimar.

In Board of Councilmen's Chamber.

President Jackson.....Painted by Vanderlyn.
Commodore Macdonough..... " Jarvis.
" Hull..... " Jarvis.
Henry Clay..... " Jarvis.

Room No. 8, City Hall.

High Constable Jacob Hays.....Painted by Shegogue.

Busts.

Governor's Room.....Bust of De Witt Clinton.
" " Henry Clay, by Pruden.
Chamber of Board of Aldermen... " John Jay (presented by his daughter to Corporation, March, 1835).
" " " Chief Justice Marshall, by Frazee.
Common Pleas Court Room..... " Thomas Addis Emmett.
" " Tablet to John T. Irving.
City Library.....Bust of Chancellor Kent, Clavenger.

HARBOR MASTERS OF THE PORT OF NEW YORK.

A. H. Schultz,	Mat. D. Green,	O. Brennan,
Jos. J. Chambers,	Daniel Herrick,	W. H. Burleigh,
Charles Chamberlain,	Abraham Pierce,	Jas. J. Bevins.

NEW YORK CUSTOM HOUSE.

Heman J. Redfield, *Collector*.
John Cochrane, *Surveyor*.
Romeyn I. Broadhead, *Naval Officer*.
Conrad Swackhamer, *Navy Agent*.
John J. Cisco, *Assistant Treasurer*.
Daniel D. Briggs, *Appraiser*.
Samuel J. Wills, "
Isaac Phillips, "

UNITED STATES ASSAY OFFICE.

No. 30 Wall street.

Samuel F. Butterworth. *Superintendent*.
John J. Cisco, *Treasurer*.
John Torrey, *Assayer*.
Edward N. Kent, *Melter and Refiner*.

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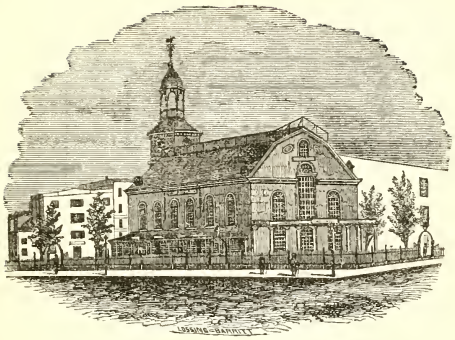
For County of New York.

Edgar Ketchum.....Office, Register's Office.
Nathaniel Jarvis, jr..... " " "

NAME, LOCALITY AND EXTENT OF PUBLIC SQUARES.

NAME AND LOCALITY.	AREAS.				
	Sq. feet.	A.	R.	P.	FT.
BATTERY—Extreme southern end of the island.....	433,609	10	2	22	239
BOWLING GREEN—Broadway, Whitehall and State streets....	24,483	0	2	9	253
THE PARK—Broadway, Chambers, Centre sts. and Park row.	472,080	10	3	14	0
DUANE PARK—Duane, Hudson and Greenwich streets.....	5,783	0	0	21	66
FIVE POINTS PARK—Park st., Baxter st. and Mission place...	6,727	1	0	24	193
HUDSON SQUARE—Hudson, Laight, Varick and Beach sts.....	177,962	4	0	13	183
" "	3,080	0	0	11	85
WASHINGTON SQUARE—University place, Waverley place, Macdougal and Fourth streets..	424,684	9	2	39	246
TOMPKINS SQUARE—Avenue A, 7th st., Avenue B and 10th st.	457,764	10	2	1	112
ABINGDON SQUARE—Hudson street, Troy street and 8th ave..	9,021	0	0	33	36
UNION PLACE—Broadway, 14th st., 4th ave. and 17th st.....	151,080	3	1	34	253
STUYVESANT SQUARE—On 2d avenue, bet. 15th and 17th sts..	171,190	3	3	28	217
GRAMERCY PARK—Bet. 20th & 21st sts.. Lex. ave. & Irving place	73,600	1	2	30	92
MADISON SQUARE—5th ave., 26th st., Madison sq. and 23d st.	299,150	6	3	19	47
HAMILTON SQUARE—66th street, 4th ave., 69th st. and 3d ave.	649,890	15	0	0	0
OBSERVATORY PLACE—5th ave., 94th st., 4th ave., 89th st....	1,122,375	25	3	2	160
MANHATTAN SQUARE—77th st , 8th ave., 87th st. and 9th ave.	830,009	19	0	8	182
MOUNT MORRIS—Between 120th and 124th sts. on the 5th ave.	878,665	20	0	27	114
CENTRAL PARK—Bet. 59th and 106th sts., 5th and 8th aves ..		730	0	0	0
	7,415,339	900	0	37	110

BLOOMINGDALE SQUARE—59th st., 9th ave., 53d st. and 8th av., was directed, by resolution of Common Council of 1856, to be closed.



NEW YORK POST OFFICE.

Isaac V. Fowler, *Postmaster*.
Nelson J. Waterbury, *Assistant Postmaster*.
N. P. Freeman, *Cashier*.
William Caldwell, *Secretary*.

LOCATION.

The Post Office is situated in Nassau street, extending from Liberty to Cedar street. Entrance from Cedar and Nassau streets. Mails received and delivered on Liberty street.

Mr. William B. Taylor is at the head of the department, embracing the entire city delivery.

Seymour J. Strong has charge of the box delivery.

Mr. J. H. Hallett has charge of the alphabet and carriers' delivery.

George C. Coffin is at the head of the foreign letter department.

Thomas Clark is at the head of the newspaper department.

W. A. B. Clement has charge of the letter distributing tables.

RATES OF POSTAGE

Between Offices in the United States, and to and from Canada, from and after June 30, 1851.

DIRECTIONS.	MUST BE PREPAID.				
For every single letter in manuscript, or paper of any kind upon which information shall be asked or communicated in writing, or by marks or signs sent by mail the rates mentioned in this table shall be charged, and must be PREPAID; and for every additional half ounce or fraction of an ounce above the weight named in this table an additional single rate is to be charged.	Weighing ½ ounce or under, being single rate.	Over ½ ounce, and not over 1 ounce.	Over 1 ounce, and not over 1½ ounce.	Over 1½ ounce, and not over 2 ounces.	Over 2 ounces, and not over 2½ ounces.
	CENTS.	CENTS.	CENTS.	CENTS.	CENTS.
For any distance not over 3,000 miles.	3	6	9	12	15
For any distance over 3,000 miles. .	10	20	30	40	50
To and from Canada, for any distance not over 3,000 miles, prepayment optional.....	10	20	30	40	50
For any distance over 3,000 miles. . .	15	30	45	60	75

1st. Every letter or parcel, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, shall be deemed a single letter or rate.

2d. All drop-letters or letters placed in the New York Post Office not for transmission, but for city delivery only, are charged at the rate of two cents each.

3d. Each deputy post-master, whose compensation for the last preceding fiscal year (ending the 30th June) did not exceed two hundred dollars, may send through the mail all letters *written by himself*, and receive through the mail all written communications addressed to himself, *on his private business*, which shall not exceed in weight one half ounce, free of postage. This does not authorize them to frank any letters unless written by themselves, and on their private business only; nor does it authorize them to receive, free of postage, any thing but written communications addressed to themselves, and on their private business

NOTE.—From and after the 30th June, 1851, the mode of computing the rates upon inland letters—*i. e.* letters from one office within the United States or Territories to another, and also upon letters between the United States and the British North American Provinces—is to be as follows, to wit: Single rate, if not exceeding half an ounce; double rate, if exceeding half an ounce, but not exceeding an ounce; treble rate, if exceeding an ounce, but not exceeding an ounce and a half; and so on, charging an additional rate for every additional half ounce or fraction of half an ounce.

The mode of computing rates upon letters to Great Britain, and to all other foreign countries, the British North American Provinces excepted, will remain as at present, under the act of 3d March, 1849, and agreeable to instructions appended to the table of foreign postages.

NEW YORK GASLIGHT COMPANY.

Chartered 26th of March, 1823—unlimited in duration. Capital, $1,000,000.

OFFICERS.

William W. Fox, *President.*
(Who has filled that station for twenty-nine years.)
John Wowton, *Manager.*
C. L. Everitt, *Secretary.*

The pipes have been laid in all of the streets of the district south of Grand street, under its contract with the Corporation of the city, requiring about 130 miles of mains of various sizes, from eighteen inch to three inch diameter.

The works are situated on Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, from First avenue to the East river, with buildings and suitable apparatus for manufacturing, washing, purifying and distributing the gas. The Company are about putting up additional buildings, with the requisite apparatus appertaining thereto. There are now in operation six large telescopic gasholders at that station, and there are seven smaller gasometers, for storage of gas, in different parts of the city.

MANHATTAN GASLIGHT COMPANY.

Chartered February 26, 1830—Perpetual. Capital, $4,000,000.

Office, corner Irving place and Fifteenth srteet,

OFFICERS.

Charles Roome, *President.*
Floyd Smith, *Vice-President.*
Samuel H. Howard, *Secretary.*
Joseph A. Sabbatton, *Engineer.*
Charles Smith, *Superintendent of Street Mains and Lamps.*
Thomas Marsh, *Chief Inspector.*
Walter Roome, *Superintendent of Gas-works in 18th street.*
William Combe, *Superintendent of Gas-works in 14th street.*

This company supplies that portion of the city which lies north of Grand street. South of Seventy-ninth street they have two stations or works; one at the foot of Eighteenth street, near the North river, containing four large gasholders and six hundred retorts, and capable of supplying two million cubic feet of gas in twenty-four hours; and one station at the foot of Fourteenth street, East river. The Fourteenth street works are now producing four hundred thousand feet of gas per day; when finished they will contain six large gasholders, and nine hundred retorts, equal to a production of three million cubic feet of gas in twenty-four hours. This company have 190 miles of street mains; light 7,600 street lamps, and supply gas to over 20,000 stores and dwellings. In 1856 they manufactured 562,000,000 feet of gas.

HARLEM GAS COMPANY.

Chartered April ——. Capital, $——.

Authorized to lay mains north of Seventy-ninth street.

NAMES OF SPEAKERS

Of the Assembly of the State of New York, from 1777 to 1857.

SESSIONS.	NAMES.	WHEN ELECTED.
1	Walter Livingston	September.10th, 1777
2	Walter Livingston	October...13th, 1778
3	Evert Bancker	August...18th, 1779
4	Evert Bancker	September. 7th, 1780
5	Evert Bancker	October...24th, 1781
6	Evert Bancker	July... ..11th, 1782
7	John Hathorn	January...21st, 1783
8	John Hathorn	October...15th, 1784
9	John Lansing, jr	January...13th, 1786
10	Richard Varick	" ..12th, 1787
11	Richard Varick	" 9th, 1788
12	John Lansing, jr	December.11th, 1788
13	Gulian Ver Planck	July.....4th, 1791
14	John Watts	January....5th, 1791
15	John Watts	" 4th, 1792
16	John Watts	November..6th, 1792
17	James Watson	January....7th, 1794
18	William North	" 6th, 1795
19	William North	" 6th, 1796
20	Gulian Ver Planck	November..1st, 1796
21	Dirck Ten Broeck	January....2d, 1798
22	Dirck Ten Broeck	August....9th, 1798
33	Dirck Ten Broeck	January...28th, 1800
24	Samuel Osgood	November..4th, 1800
25	Thomas Storm	January...26th, 1802
26	Thomas Storm	" ...25th, 1803
27	Alexander Sheldon	" ... 31st, 1804
28	Alexander Sheldon	November..6th, 1804
29	Alexander Sheldon	January...28th, 1806
30	Andrew McCord	" ...27th, 1807
31	Alexander Sheldon	" ...26th, 1808
32	James W. Wilkin	November..1st, 1808
33	William North	January...30th, 1810
34	Nathan Sandford	" ...29th, 1811
35	Alexander Sheldon	" ...28th, 1812
36	Jacob Rutzen Van Rensselaer	November..3d, 1812
37	James Emott	January...25th, 1814
38	Samuel Young	September 26th, 1814
39	Daniel Cruger	January...13th, 1816
40	David Woods	November..5th, 1816
41	David Woods	January...27th, 1818
42	William A. Duer	" 5th, 1819
43	John C. Spencer	" 4th, 1820
44	Peter Sharp	November..7th, 1820
45	Samuel B. Romaine	January....1st, 1822
46	Peter R. Livingston	" ...27th, 1823
47	Richard Goodell	" 6th, 1824
48	Clarkson Crolius	" 4th, 1825
49	Samuel Young	" 3d, 1826
50	Erastus Root	" 2d, 1827
51	Erastus Root	" 1st, 1828
52	Peter Robinson	" 5th, 1829

SESSIONS.	NAMES.	WHEN ELECTED.
53.....	Erastus Root	January....5th, 1830
54.....	George R. Davis.....	" 4th, 1831
55.....	Charles L. Livingston.....	" 3d, 1832
56.....	Charles L. Livingston.....	" 1st, 1833
57.....	William Baker.....	" 7th, 1834
58.....	Charles Humphrey.....	" 5th, 1835
59.....	Charles Humphrey	" 5th, 1836
60.....	Edward Livingston.....	" 3d, 1837
61.....	Luther Bradish	" 2d, 1838
62.....	George W. Patterson.....	" 1st, 1839
63.....	George W. Patterson.....	" 7th, 1840
64.....	Peter B. Porter, jr.....	" 5th, 1841
65.....	Levi S. Chatfield.....	" 4th, 1842
66.....	George R. Davis.....	" 2d, 1843
67.....	Elisha Litchfield	" 2d, 1844
68.....	Horatio Seymour.....	" 7th, 1845
69.....	William Crane.....	" 6th, 1846
70.....	William C. Hasbrouck	" 6th, 1847
71.....	Amos K. Hadley.....	" 4th, 1848
72.....	Amos K. Hadley.....	" 2d, 1849
73.....	Noble S. Elderkin	" 1st, 1850
74.....	Henry J. Raymond.....	" 7th, 1851
75	Joseph B. Varnum, jr., (extra session)...	June.....1851
76.....	Jonas C. Heart.....	January.....1852
77.....	William H. Ludlow.....	" 1853
78.....	Wm. V. Pruyn.....	" 1854
79.....	De Witt C. Littlejohn.....	" 1855
80.....	Orville Robinson.....	" 1856
81.....	De Witt C. Littlejohn.....	" 1857

SPEAKERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FROM ITS ORGANIZATION, UNDER THE CONSTITUTION, TO THE PRESENT TIME.

Frederick Muhlenbergh, Pennsylvania.....	1789 to 1791
John Trumbull, Connecticut.....	1791 to 1793
Frederick A. Muhlenbergh, Pennsylvania.....	1793 to 1797
Jonathan Dayton, New Jersey.....	1797 to 1798
Theodore Sedgwick, Massachusetts.....	1798 to 1801
Nathaniel Macon, North Carolina.....	1801 to 1807
Joseph B. Varnum, Massachusetts.....	1807 to 1811
Henry Clay, Kentucky.....	1811 to 1814
Langdon Cheeves, South Carolina	1814 to 1815
Henry Clay, Kentucky.....	1815 to 1820
John W. Taylor, New York	1820 to 1821
Philip P. Barbour, Virginia.....	1821 to 1823
Henry Clay, Kentucky.....	1823 to 1825
John W. Taylor, New York.....	1825 to 1827
Andrew Stevenson, Virginia.....	1827 to 1835
John Bell, Tennessee.....	1835 to 1837

James K. Polk, Tennessee.....1837 to 1839
Robert M. T. Hunter, Virginia.....1839 to 1841
John White, Kentucky.....1841 to 1843
John W. Jones, Virginia.....1843 to 1845
John W. Davis, Indiana.....1845 to 1847
Robert C. Winthrop, Massachusetts.....1847 to 1849
Howell Cobb, Georgia.....1849 to 1851
Linn Boyd, Kentucky.....1851 to 1853
Linn Boyd, " 1853 to 1855
Linn Boyd, " 1855 to 1857
Nathaniel P. Banks, Massachusetts.....1856 to 1858

PRESIDENTS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

FROM THE ORGANIZATION UNDER THE AMENDED CHARTER.

Samuel Stevens.....1831-2
Henry Meigs.....1832-3
John Y. Cebra.....1833-4
James Monroe.....1834-5
Isaac L. Varian.....1835-6
Isaac L. Varian.....(From July 1st, 1836, to December 28.) 1836
Egbert Benson.....(From December 28, 1836, to May 9,) 1837-8
Egbert Benson.....1838-9
A. V. Williams.....1839-40
Elijah F. Purdy.....1840-1
Elijah F. Purdy.....1841-2
Caleb S. Woodhull.....1842-3
Elijah F. Purdy.....1843-4
Richard L. Schieffelin.....1844-5
Oliver Charlick.....1845-6
David S. Jackson.....1846-7
Morris Franklin.....1847-8
Morris Franklin.....1848-9
James Kelly.....(From May 8th, 1849, to January 7,) 1850
Morgan Morgans.....1850-1
Richard T. Compton.....1852-3

UNDER AMENDED CHARTER, 1853.

Nathan C. Ely.....1854
Isaac O. Barker.....1855
Isaac O. Barker.....1856
John Clancy.....1857

PRESIDENTS OF THE BOARD OF ASSISTANTS.

FROM THE ORGANIZATION UNDER THE AMENDED CHARTER.

James B Murray.....1831-2
William Van Wyck.....1832-3
William Van Wyck.....1833-4
George W. Bruen.....1834-5
James R. Whiting.....1835-6
Edward Curtis.....1836-7
Caleb S. Woodhull.....1837-8
Caleb S. Woodhull.....1838-9
Nathaniel Jarvis, jr.....1839-40
Frederick R. Lee.....1840-1
Thomas R. Lee.....1841-2
William Adams.....1842-3
Charles P. Brown.....1843-4
William Everdell.....1844-5
Nathaniel Pierce.....1845-6
Niel Gray.....1846-7
Linus W. Stevens.....1847-8
Wilson Small.....1848-9
Edwin D. Morgan.....(From May 8, 1849, to January 7,) 1850
Oscar W. Sturtevant.....1850
Alonzo A. Alvord.....1851
Jonathan Trotter.....1852
Jonathan Trotter.....1853

UNDER AMENDED CHARTER OF 1853.

Edwin J. Brown, President of Board of Councilmen.....1854
Daniel D. Conover, " " " 1855
Benj. F. Pinckney " " " 1856
Jonas N. Phillips, " " " 1857

POPULATION OF THE CITY AT VARIOUS PERIODS.

1656.....1,000	1810.....96,373
1673.....2,500	1820.....123,706
1696.....4,302	1825.....166,089
1731.....8,628	1830.....202,589
1756.....10,381	1835.....270,068
1773.....21,876	1840.....312,852
1786.....23,614	1845.....371,223
1790.....33,131	1850.....515,394
1800.....60,489	1855.....629,810

CENSUS OF NEW YORK COUNTY.

NEW YORK CITY.	Total population, 1855.	Increase since 1845.	Decrease since 1845	VOTERS.		Aliens.	Colored persons not taxed.	Number, deducting aliens and colored persons not taxed.
				Native.	Naturalized.			
1st Ward	13,486	1,256		570	1,425	6,062	43	7,381
2d "	3,249		3,713	509	290	1,384	64	1,801
3d "	7,909		3,991	2,069	694	2,765	140	5,004
4th "	22,895	1,895		922	2,459	10,785	80	12,030
5th "	21,617	1,284		1,962	1,471	7,462	1,842	12,313
6th "	25,562	5,928		684	2,263	13,010	550	12,002
7th "	34,422	8,806		2,767	2,649	12,234	190	21,998
8th "	34,052	3,156		2,992	1,910	10,783	2,444	20,825
9th "	39,982	9,075		5,136	1,976	9,346	378	30,258
10th "	26,378	5,436		2,106	1,476	10,218	255	15,905
11th "	52,979	25 270		2,763	3,612	21,237	285	31,457
12th "	17,656	4,265		957	787	7,864	147	9,645
13th "	26,597	4,186		2,420	1,852	8,784	536	17,277
14th "	21,754	3,651		1,246	1,954	10,275	716	13,763
15th "	24,046	4,624		3,091	1,292	7,406	740	15,900
16th "	39,823		527	3,350	2,173	13,495	353	25,975
17th "	59,548	32,401		3,229	3,689	26,780	348	32,420
18th "	39,415			2,774	2,345	15,677	231	23,507
19th "	17,866		. ..	1,922	1,460	6,507	646	10,713
20th "	47,055			2,437	3,045	14,441	519	32,095
21st "	27,914			2,262	1,993	8,136	119	19,659
22d "	22,605			1,161	1,889	8,027	181	14,397
Total	629,810	258,587		46,113	42,704	232,678	10,807	386,325

AN ACCOUNT OF VOTES

AT ELECTIONS FOR GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, FROM 1789 TO 1854, FROM THE OFFICIAL RETURNS.

Years.	*Candidates.*	*Votes.*	*Maj.*
1790—	George Clinton	6,391	429
	Robert Yates	5,962	
	Total	12,353	
1792—	George Clinton	8,440	
	John Jay	8,332	108
	Total	16,772	
1795—	John Jay	13,481	2,089
	Robert Yates	11,392	
	Total	24,873	

Years.	*Candidates.*	*Votes.*	*Maj.*
1798—	John Jay	16,012	2,380
	Robert R. Livingston	13,632	
	Total	29,644	
1801—	George Clinton	24,808	3,965
	Stephen Van Rensselaer	20,843	
	Total	45,651	
1804—	Morgan Lewis	30,829	8,690
	Aaron Burr	22,139	
	Total	52,968	
1807—	Daniel D. Tompkins	35,074	4,085
	Morgan Lewis	30,989	
	Total	66,063	
1810—	Daniel D. Tompkins	43,094	3,610
	Jonas Platt	39,474	
	Total	82,578	
1813—	Daniel D. Tompkins	43,324	9,606
	Stephen Van Rensselaer	33,718	
	Total	87,042	
1816—	*Daniel D. Tompkins	45,412	5,765
	Rufus King	39,647	
	Total	85,059	
1817—	De Witt Clinton	43,310	41,891
	Peter B. Porter	1,419	
	Total	44,429	
1820—	De Witt Clinton	47,147	1,157
	Daniel D. Tompkins	45,990	
	Total	93,137	
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1822—	Joseph C. Yates	128,493	125,553
	Solomon Southwick	2,910	
	Total	131,403	
1824—	De Witt Clinton	103,454	16,371
	Samuel Young	87,083	
	Total	190,537	

* Resigned in 1817, being chosen Vice-President of the United States.

Years.	*Candidates.*	*Votes.*	*Maj.*
1826—De Witt Clinton		99,785	3,650
	William B. Rochester	96,135	
	Total	195,920	
1828—Martin Van Buren		136,794	31,350
	Smith Thompson	105,444	
	Solomon Southwick	33,345	
	Total	275,583	
1830—Enos T. Throop		128,842	8,481
	Francis Granger	120,361	
	Ezekiel Williams	2,332	
	Total	251,535	
1832—William L. Marcy		166,410	9,738
	Francis Granger	156,672	
	Total	323,082	
1834—William L. Marcy		181,905	12,936
	William H. Seward	168,969	
	Total	350,874	
1836—William L. Marcy		166,122	29,474
	Jesse Buel	136,648	
	Isaac B. Smith	2,496	
	Total	305,266	
1838—William H. Seward		192,882	10,421
	William L. Marcy	182,461	
	Total	375,343	
1840—William H. Seward		222,011	5,285
	William C. Bouck	216,726	
	Gerrit Smith	2,662	
	Total	441,399	

November, 1842.

GOVERNOR.

William C. Bouck	208,072
Luther Bradish	186,091
Alvah Stewart	7,263
Total	401,426, exclusive of scattering.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

Daniel S. Dickinson..... 207,736
Gabriel Furman.....186,008
Charles O. Shepard..... 7,579

Total.....401,323, exclusive of scattering.
Bouck's plurality.....21,981 Majority.....14,718
Dickinson's " 21,718 " 14,040

November, 1844.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.	
Silas Wright	241,000	Addison Gardiner	240,844
Millard Fillmore	231,057	Samuel J. Wilkins	231,048
Alvah Stewart	15,136	Charles O. Shepard	15,386

Plurality for Silas Wright.....10,033
Plurality for Addison Gardiner..... 9,796

November, 1845.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.	
John Young	198,578	Addison Gardiner	200,970
Silas Wright	187,306	Hamilton Fish	187,613
Henry Bradley	12,844	William M. Chaplin	13,901
Ogden Edwards	6,305	George Folsom	6,133

Plurality for John Young 11,572
Plurality for Addison Gardiner..... 13,357

November, 1847.

Hamilton Fish..... 170,072
Nathan Dayton 139,623
Charles O. Shepard..... 13,429

November, 1848.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.	
Hamilton Fish	212,876	G. W. Patterson	222,970
Reuben H. Walworth	116,811	Charles O'Conor	116,907
John A. Dix	122,889	Seth M. Gates	113,667
William Goodell	1,593	Robert Anderson	1,520

Plurality for Hamilton Fish..... 95,887
Plurality for G. W. Patterson.....105,288

November, 1850.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.	
Washington Hunt	214,614	George J. Cornell	210,695
Horatio Seymour	214,352	Sanford E. Church	218,009
Scattering	3,627	Scattering	4,226

November, 1852.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.	
Horatio Seymour	264,121	Sanford E. Church	266,147
Washington Hunt	241,525	William Kent	240,273
Minthorne Tompkins	19,299	Seth M. Gates	19,760

November, 1854.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.	
Myron H. Clark	156,804	Henry J. Raymond	157,106
Horatio Seymour	156,195	William H. Ludlow	128,633
Daniel Ullman	122,282	Gustavus A Scroggs	121,037
Greene C. Bronson	33,850	Elijah Ford	52,074

November, 1856.

GOVERNOR.		LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.	
John A King	264,400	Henry R. Shelden	266,991
Erastus Brooks	130,870	Lyman Odell	128,913
Amasa J. Parker	198,616	John Vanderbilt	197,811

STATEMENT

OF VOTES GIVEN FOR ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, NOVEMBER, 1856.

City and County of New York.

James Buchanan and John C. Breckenridge	41,913
Millard Fillmore and Andrew J. Donnelson	19,924
John C. Fremont and Wm. L. Dayton	17,770

Popular Vote—U. S.

James Buchanan and John C. Breckenridge	1,834,337
John C. Fremont and Wm. L. Dayton	1,341 812
Millard Fillmore and Andrew J. Donnelson	873,055

Vote of the Electoral College.

Buchanan and Breckenridge	174
Fremont and Dayton	114
Fillmore and Donnelson	8
Total number	296

STATEMENT

OF THE NUMBER OF VOTES GIVEN IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK AT THE ELECTION HELD NOVEMBER 4, 1856 FOR

Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

Canal Commissioner.

Inspector of State Prisons.

Clerk of the Court of Appeals.
Members of Congress.
Assembly.
Mayor.
City Judge.
Police Justice.
Counsel to the Corporation.
Governor of the Alms-house.
Aldermen and Councilmen.

GOVERNOR.

The whole number of votes given for Governor was..... ..77,838
Of which John A. King received..... 14,994
Erastus Brooks " 24,423
Amasa J. Parker " 41,384
Scattering.... 37

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

The whole number of votes given for Lieutenant Governor was. ..77,496
Of which Henry R. Shelden received..... 15,100
Lyman Odell " 22,251
John J. Vanderbilt " 41,120
Scattering..... 25

CANAL COMMISSIONER.

The whole number of votes given for Canal Commissioner was.....77,178
Of which Sherrill received 15,223
Amos H. Prescott " 21,200
Russell " 41 025
Scattering..... 30

INSPECTOR OF STATE PRISON.

The whole number of votes given for Inspector of State Prison was.77,135
Of which Wesley Bailey received 15,131
Jas. P. Sanders " 21,376
M. T. Brennan " 40,593
Scattering..... 35

CLERK OF THE COURT OF APPEALS.

The whole number of votes given for Clerk of the Court of Appeals
was 77,545
Of which Russel F. Hicks received... 15,293
Mann " 21,194
Horatio G. Warner " 41,031
Scattering..... 27

REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS.

Third District.

The whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress in the Third Congressional District was 10,775
Of which Daniel P. Sickels received 5,716
A. J. H. Duganne " 2,905
Guy R. Pelton " 2,126
Scattering 28

Fourth District.

The whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress in the Fourth Congressional District was 11,599
Of which John Kelly received 8,319
I. W. Ryckman " 1,477
W. F. Gould " 1,735
Scattering 48

Fifth District.

The whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress in the Fifth Congressional District was 7,817
Of which William B. Machay received 3,798
Danl. L. Northrup " 2,077
Geo. H. Andrews " 1,485
Philip Hamilton " 438
Scattering 19

Sixth District.

The whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress in the Sixth Congressional District was 15,228
Of which John Cochrane received 7,531
Thos. B. Stillman " 3,991
Aras G. Williams " 3,658
Scattering 48

Seventh District.

The whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress in the Seventh Congressional District was 15,980
Of which Elijah Ward received 6,531
Geo. Briggs " 4,461
Jas. W. Nye " 4,100
John Bullock " 854
Scattering 34

Eighth District.

The whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress in the Eighth Congressional District was 14,913
Of which Horace F. Clark received 7,482
Abram Wakeman " 3,760
Shepherd Knapp " 3,651
Scattering 20

MEMBERS OF ASSEMBLY.

First District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the First Assembly District was	2,423
Of which Daniel Mahen received	1,069
F. W. C. Wedekind "	708
John Decker "	482
Edward Pepper "	147
Scattering	17

Second District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Second Assembly District was	3,806
Of which Thomas Kivlen received	2,404
Joseph Canning "	703
Wesley Lyons "	550
Wm. O. Jenkins "	118
Scattering	31

Third District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Third Assembly District was	2,485
Of which Andrew Sheehan received	1,354
James Hays "	911
Henry Bertram	210
Scattering	10

Fourth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Fourth Assembly District was	3,024
Of which Jeremiah Lothrop received	613
John D. Dixon "	1,522
John D. Kinsey "	881
Scattering	8

Fifth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Fifth Assembly District was	4,283
Of which John J. Reilly received	2,106
Ed. Merritt "	1,157
Stewart L. Woodford "	858
Thos. F. Farran "	148
Scattering	14

Sixth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Sixth Assembly District was	3,801
Of which Nathaniel Roe received	1,748
Peter C. Male "	1,281
Morris De Camp "	751
Scattering	13

Seventh District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Seventh Assembly District was	5,429
Of which Henry J. Irving received	1,902
Jacob L. Dodge "	1,407
P. W. Engs "	684
Jas. W. Lawson "	1,164
Saml. Brevoort "	260
Scattering	12

Eighth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Eighth Assembly District was	3,343
Of which Thomas Charlock received	1,381
Cornelius Corson "	977
Robert Macoy "	723
Saml. S. Thorp, jr., "	171
Theo. Stuyvesant "	69
A. P. Sharp "	19
Scattering	3

Ninth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Ninth Assembly District was	5,290
Of which Erastus W. Glover received	3,299
Richard G. Hunt "	1,333
Peter Fosterin "	644
W. Hoffman "	3
Scattering	11

Tenth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Tenth Assembly District was	6,811
Of which James S. Sluyter received	3,403
Jas Hogg "	1,422
Alex Spaulding "	1,412
Dennis Sadlier "	556
Scattering	18

Eleventh District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Eleventh Assembly District was	3,475
Of which James J. Reilly received	1,685
Chas. T. Mills "	1,132
Edward Collins "	519
Jas. G. Larue "	125
Scattering	14

Twelfth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Twelfth Assembly District was..... 2,935
Of which Nich. W. Mooney received..... 2,088
Wm. W. Wade " 445
Benj. W. Richards " 371
David B. Adams " 22
Scattering..... 9

Thirteenth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Thirteenth Assembly District was..... 3,464
Of which Joseph B. Varnum, jr., received..... 1,248
Wickham Hoffman " 1,220
John T. Power " 982
Scattering..... 14

Fourteenth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Fourteenth Assembly District was..... 10,108
Of which Robert B. Bradford received..... 3,592
Jos. B. Pollock " 2,806
D. R. Jaques " 2,681
Stephen D. Gardner " 1,013
Scattering..... 16

Fifteenth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Fifteenth Assembly District was..... 5,886
Of which Arthur Woods received..... 3,157
Edwin A. Ware " 1,535
Thos. Doyle " 1,171
Scattering..... 23

Sixteenth District.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly in the Sixteenth Assembly District was..... 7,790
Of which Samuel T. Roberts received..... 2,194
George Opdyke " 2,053
Chas. McNiell " 1,459
John H. Feeny " 1,037
Geo. W. Walling " 865
Alex. P. Sharp " 186
Scattering..... 14

MAYOR.

The whole number of votes given for Mayor was..... 77,815
Of which Fernando Wood received..... 34,566
Isaac O. Barker " 25,182

Anthony J. Bleecker received		9,671
James S. Libby	"	4,684
James R. Whiting	"	3,638
Scattering		74

CITY JUDGE.

The whole number of votes given for City Judge was		77,409
Of which Abraham D. Russell received		29,265
John H. White	"	21,168
Elisha S. Capron	"	16,187
Ambrose C. Pinney	"	7,724
Scattering		65

POLICE JUSTICE, EIGHTH AND NINTH WARDS.

EIGHTH WARD.

Whole number of votes		3,753
Of which J. Sherman Brownell received		1,729
James M. Murray	"	1,439
Robert H Johnston	"	581
Scattering		4

NINTH WARD.

Whole number of votes		5,272
Of which J. Sherman Brownell received		2,486
James M. Murray	"	1,792
Robert H. Johnston	"	994

COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION.

Whole number of votes		76,609
Of which Richard Busteed received		39,667
Louis N. Glover	"	22,928
Emmett	"	13,921
Scattering		93

GOVERNOR OF THE ALMS-HOUSE.

Whole number of votes		75,963
Of which Benjamin F. Pinckney received		24,586
Patrick G. Maloney	"	32,478
Chas D. Buenninghausen	"	13,844
Nich. Dimond	"	4,927
Scattering		128

STATEMENT

Of the number of votes given for Aldermen in each Election District.

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.										TOTAL.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
FIRST WARD—											
Whole number of votes	579	616	546								1741
Wm. Wilson	217	207	501								925
Chas. McCay	328	398	43								769
Jos. Jamison	29	10	2								41
Scattering	5	1									6
THIRD WARD—											
Whole number of votes	219	290	475	254							1268
Morgan L. Harris	99	146	250	116							611
Thos. McKnight	69	86	166	93							414
Oscar W. Sturtevant	81	58	59	53							251
Scattering				2							2
FIFTH WARD—											
Whole number of votes	491	589	615	567	417	389					3068
Henry R. Hoffmire	352	327	278	233	150	222					1562
Abram M. Binninger	50	176	184	231	208	122					961
Charles V. Lewis	76	86	153	103	56	45					519
Scattering	3				3						6
SEVENTH WARD—											
Whole number of votes	693	580	397	657	574	245	428	750			4304
Thos. W. Adams	184	227	119	342	272	123	215	471			1953
Charles Fox	229	176	148	168	121	58	128	178			1026
Archibald Hall	191	147	111	86	97	37	72	47			788
Samuel Hurley	89	28	19	31	79	27	11	51			335
John G. Seeley		2		10	5			1			18
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NINTH WARD—											
Whole number of votes	672	668	573	613	673	765	553	512	833		5562
Solomon Banta	245	208	213	213	262	251	156	228	167		1945
Peter P. Voorhis	209	190	136	201	129	246	188	120	148		1567
C. S. Coopor	187	250	180	187	246	241	138	155	195		1779
James W. Hale	31	20	44	8	36	27	71	9	23		269
ELEVENTH WARD—											
Whole number of votes	373	552	373	447	425	849	624	585	738	383	5349
James R. Steers	257	314	151	144	176	476	230	143	231	133	2285
George H. Raymond	53	60	152	171	171	196	179	249	173	22	1429
Andrew R. Jackman	32	122	44	102	48	90	116	139	270	193	1180
Julius Hitchcock	31	26	26	27	30	87	74	54	64	34	453
Scattering						1			1		2
THIRTEENTH WARD—											
Whole number of votes	540	539	537	579	693	596					3484
Edward C. McConnell	294	251	302	337	289	246					1619
John H. Briggs	253	185	131	158	261	218					1206
John B. Everson	79	98	94	73	119	65					528
William Work	4	5	10	7	24	77					127
Scattering				4							4

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.										TOTAL.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
FIFTEENTH WARD—											
Whole number of votes	634	720	558	589	625	470	...	...	...	...	3546
Henry Snyder	240	229	145	154	149	133	...	...	...	...	1050
Orison Blunt	201	236	282	241	251	227	...	...	...	...	1441
Aaron H. Bean	186	246	125	142	222	109	...	...	...	...	1030
Albert Porter	3	9	6	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	21
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SEVENTEENTH WARD—											
Whole number of votes	567	688	584	662	693	401	720	904	425	487	5748
Wm. Coulter	244	213	218	269	512	248	677	889	132	186	3089
J. W. T Van Riper	171	211	207	196	21	41	1	142	111	100	1201
W. C. Marshall	102	159	99	68	69	39	32	199	78	70	915
Nathan C. Ely	50	105	60	119	91	72	10	174	99	131	911
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NINETEENTH WARD—											
Whole number of votes	514	624	555	461	...	...	...	...	...	...	2154
Thomas McSpedon	215	133	219	193	...	...	...	...	...	...	760
Hiram A. Maynard	103	163	123	158	...	...	...	...	...	...	547
John L. Brown	92	172	42	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	344
Henry W. Genet	15	41	95	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	164
Severn D. Moulton	89	115	76	59	...	...	...	...	...	...	339
TWENTY-FIRST WARD—											
Whole number of votes	668	810	492	783	...	...	...	...	...	...	3123
George W. Varian	325	153	123	143	...	...	...	...	...	...	744
James Owens	342	240	145	183	...	...	...	...	...	...	910
Andre Froment	114	281	56	329	...	...	...	...	...	...	783
Samuel H Cooper	256	153	168	128	...	...	...	...	...	...	705
J. Thompson	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1

STATEMENT

Of the number of votes given for Councilmen in each Election District.

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.					TOTAL.
1ST WARD—*1st Council District.*	1					
Whole number of votes	567					567
Henry Smith	231					231
John C. Bailey	164					164
Robert Lee	165					165
Scattering	7					7
—*2d Council District.*	2	3				
Whole number of votes	596	542				1138
John Von Glahn	210	497				707
Henry Meyerholze	322	35				357
William H. Leach	54	10				64
—*3d Council District.*	1	2				
Whole number of votes	339	357				737
Alvah W. Lockwood	102	119				221
Wm. H. Bulteel	123	175				298
James E. Carter	130	35				165
John J. Tait	25	16				41
John M. Chamberlin		12				12
3D WARD—*4th Council District.*			3	4		
Whole number of votes	253	287	262	256		1058
Thomas Munroe	93	104	153	117		470
James A. Mandeville	66	82	174	88		340
Robert S. Gould	91	101	136	50		378
4TH WARD—*5th Council District.*						
Whole number of votes	756					756
John Baulch	510					510
Wm. Cook	157					157
Alex. Lange	68					681
Scattering	21					21
—*6th Council District*	3	5				
Whole number of votes	477	272				749
James Reilly	301	124				425
John Ridden	153	141				294
E. H. Smith	23	1				24
John Baulch		4				4
Alex. Lange		1				1
George P. Bickford		1				1
—*7th Council District.*	3	4				
Whole number of votes	529	365				894
George P. Bickford	227	233				460
William Creighton	6	16				22
John Lawler	296	116				412

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.					TOTAL.
5TH WARD—*5th Council District.*	1	3				
Whole number of votes	491	602				1093
James L. Waugh	155	181				336
John T. Henry	176	114				290
Charles Heike	71	135				206
Lemuel W. Parks	59	172				231
—*9th Council District.*	2	4				
Whole number of votes	577	564				1141
George A. Barney	188	255				443
James Clark	271	187				458
John Contrell	118	122				240
—*10th Council District.*	5	6				
Whole number of votes	417	386				803
Robert Donnell	112	197				309
William H. Crane	285	187				472
Robert Walker	3	1				4
Scattering	17	1				18
6TH WARD—*11th Council District.*	1	2				
Whole number of votes	500	497				997
Henry Hughes	355	273				628
Matthew Murray	121	166				287
William J. Bunce	24	51				75
Scattering		7				7
—*12th Council District.*	3	6				
Whole number of votes	436	484				920
George McKinley	208	159				367
Hugh O'Donnell	189	321				510
John Burke	9	4				13
—*13th Council District.*	4	5				
Whole number of votes	289	455				744
Patrick Mathews	134	1				135
Martin Gilmartin	101	424				525
Robert Irwin	54	26				80
Blank		4				4
7TH WARD—*14th Council District.*	1	2	3			
Whole number of votes	685	540	379			1604
George W. Warner	231	179	137			547
George Tobin	173	186	106			465
De Lancey W. Knevels	198	172	120			490
Peter Zeglio	83	3	16			102
—*15th Council District.*	5	6	7			
Whole number of votes	552	228	428			1208
Michael Barry	291	120	188			599
Jos Forbes	97	47	122			266
Chas. Marsh	86	38	71			195
James L. Johnson	55	23	11			89
Blank	23					23

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.					TOTAL
7TH WARD—16*th Council District.*	4	8				
Whole number of votes	637	727				1364
William W. Judson	256	326				582
Josiah H. Barker	141	160				301
D. Freeman Poole	95	50				145
Abraham Brower	72	8				80
John Healy	73	183				256
8TH WARD—17*th Council District.*	1	2				
Whole number of votes	435	542				977
Johas N. Phillips	174	287				461
O. Sloan Holden	149	161				310
John M. Smith	105	94				199
Scattering	7					7
—18*th Council District.*	3	4				
Whole number of votes	503	382				885
Peter Crawford	197	171				368
James E. Colgrove	177	105				282
James Winterbottom	129	106				235
—19*th Council District.*	5	6				
Whole number of votes	503	609				1122
J. D. Martin	201	201				402
Lewis Fransway	185	309				494
William Bogert	127	86				213
Scattering		13				13
—20*th Council District.*	7	8				
Whole number of votes	459	324				783
Ledyard Avery	198	141				339
Thomas Kelly	119	85				204
Jacob Born	75	24				99
William Wainwright	61	41				102
Daniel Marrow	6	33				39
9TH WARD—21*st Council District.*	1	3				
Whole number of votes	660	558				1218
John Kennard	252	202				454
Charles Kentish	128	135				263
William A. Wood	108	100				208
David J. Nevins	127	81				308
Frank Fowler	45	40				85
—22*d Council District.*	2	4				
Whole number of votes	664	578				1242
Alexander Hemphill	308	214				522
Samuel Frye	178	183				361
J. W. Bush	166	181				347
Charles A. Kentish	4					4
Scattering	8					8
—23*d Council District.*	8	9	5			
Whole number of votes	509	486	645			1640
Andrew J. Campbell	170	186	253			609
Richard P. Clark	111	139	75			325
Samuel A. Cunningham	16	37	102			155
William Valleau	212	124	215			551

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.					TOTAL.
9TH WARD—24*th Council District.*	6	7				
Whole number of votes	730	547				1277
Isaac O. Hunt	289	203				492
Daniel Young	250	185				435
Israel Bower	191	159				350
10TH WARD—25*th Council District.*	3					
Whole number of votes	642					642
John Roehner	253					253
Horatio Reed	219					219
Samuel Jackson	127					127
John Nugent	43					43
—26*th Council District.*	4	2				
Whole number of votes	643	650				1293
John Van Tine	290	312				602
J. P. Van Doren	184	157				341
James R. Hobby	105	137				242
Charles C. Leayeraft	20	44				64
Scattering	44					44
—27*th Council District.*	1	5				
Whole number of votes	707	661				1368
Jesse S. Sickels	231	309				540
Charles Whitlock	226	225				451
George Donaldson	217	95				312
Philip McMahon	33	29				62
James R. Hobby		2				2
John Van Tine		1				1
11TH WARD—28*th Council District.*	1	3				
Whole number of votes	370	542				912
Henry W. Colyer	239	177				416
William Taylor	47	256				303
Joseph Buckman	84	106				190
E. S. Acker		3				3
—29*th Council District.*	3	4				
Whole number of votes	364	463				827
David Hogg	101	92				193
Amos Miller	133	178				311
John Sanders	70	34				104
E. C. Breman	59	127				186
John D. Fosdick	1	32				33
—30*th Council District.*	5	6				
Whole number of votes	290	833				1223
Francis I. A. Boole	172	542				714
Cyrus Schoonmaker	149	178				327
William E. Duryea	69	113				182
—31*st Council District.*	7	8				
Whole number of votes	578	557				1135
Benjamin T. Rhodes	329	257				586
William H. Bell	154	232				386
John Atkins	90	60				150
Cohert Gaynor	5	1				6
Scattering		7				7

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.						TOTAL
11TH WARD—32*d Council District.*	9	10					
Whole number of votes	715	381					1096
Gardner Cushman	158	16					174
John McKenna	196	84					280
Carlisle Walton	75	36					111
Michael McLoughlin	195	123					318
John O'Kane	67	78					145
Scattering	24	44					68
13TH WARD—33*d Council District.*	5	6					
Whole number of votes	677	563					1240
Charles Doty	324	345					669
Eliphalet S. Newens	235	180					415
Benjamin Hutchinson	118	68					186
—34*th Council District.*	3	4					
Whole number of votes	543	573					1116
John McConnell, jr	298	357					655
John A. Platt	118	142					260
Viner L. Cornell	93	74					167
Scattering	34						34
—35*th Council District.*	1	2					
Whole number of votes	516	526					1072
Ephraim Reed	240	162					402
J. Wesley Hunt	215	351					566
Sandy Higgins	87	111					198
Scattering	4	2					6
14TH WARD—36*th Council District.*	1	2					
Whole number of votes	353	758					1091
Francis O'Kelley	80	180					260
Hugh O'Brien	176	502					678
John P. Kennedy	45	26					71
Charles F. Meyers	46	26					72
Blank	6	4					10
—37*th Council District.*	3	4					
Whole number of votes	491	444					935
Thomas Kelly	272	240					512
Thomas Bennett	219	186					405
Thomas R. Ackland		17					17
Thomas Celly		1					1
—38*th Council District.*	5	6					
Whole number of votes	471	372					843
Michael Smith	351	291					642
Peter J. Stuyvesant	42	39					81
Haines B. Hense	52	34					86
Thomas Bennett	12						12
John Plunkett		8					8
Scattering	14						14
15TH WARD—39*th Council District.*	1	4					
Whole number of votes	612	518					1130
John H. Brady	417	356					773
Isaac Phillips	195	162					357

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.						TOTAL.
15TH WARD—*40th Council District.*	2	3					
Whole number of votes	590	538					1128
Robert W. Chapman	177	215					392
Stephen A. Pierce	210	131					341
John Smith	197	86					283
Andrew H. Sands	6	106					112
—*41st Council District.*	5	6					
Whole number of votes	610	458					1068
Franklin J. Ottarson	217	186					403
Wm. M. Giles	212	94					306
Theo. Kirby	165	141					306
John Augustus Page	16	36					52
Maltby G. Lane		1					1
16TH WARD—*42d Council District.*	4	8					
Whole number of votes	600	607					1207
Thos. Jones, jr.	260	223					483
Geo. M. Pike	176	182					358
Jas. L. Lyon	160	189					349
P. H. Matthews	4	13					17
—*43d Council District.*	3	7					
Whole number of votes	576	506					1282
George Merritt	217	192					409
Jesse Mitchell	206	215					421
Thos. Hearn	153	99					252
—*44th Council District.*	2	6					
Whole number of votes	608	645					1253
Samuel Hopper	247	206					453
John Kettleman	201	268					469
Isaac P. Cole	149	100					249
John Dolan	11	71					82
—*45th Council District.*	1	5					
Whole number of votes	560	629					1189
James Murray	297	164					561
Cornelius C. Ackerman	161	212					376
Wm. R. Stafford	98	198					296
John Perrine	1	26					27
Blank		29					29
17TH WARD—*46th Council District.*	1	2					
Whole number of votes	523	663					1186
Dominick Conlin	111	133					244
Wm. H. Schaffer	156	238					394
Wm. H. Mansfield	248	281					529
John Bollus	8						8
Geo. G. Wood		11					11
—*47th Council District.*	3	4					
Whole number of votes	571	648					1219
Wm. H. Falconer	208	190					398
Richard Jackson	150	117					267
John N. Reynolds	213	341					554

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.					TOTAL.
—*48th Council District.*		5	6			
Whole number of votes		682	388			1070
Nicholas Kissell		132	192			324
John Schappert		334	54			388
Chas. G. Freshman		210	61			271
Christian Ziegler		5	21			26
Solomon Rice		1	45			46
Blank			15			15
—*49th Council District.*		9	10			
Whole number of votes		402	471			873
Walter Walsh		107	167			274
Andrew J. Odell		176	192			368
Jos. B. Nones		118	112			230
Wm. Walsh		1				1
—*50th Council District.*		7	8			
Whole number of votes		713	882			1595
Bernard Reilley		486	259			745
Thos. Kain		108	101			209
Henry Mander		95	39			134
Thos. Little		23	345			368
Caleb Mosher, jr		1	138			139
20TH WARD—*51st Council District.*	1	4	9			
Whole number of votes	616	615	447			1678
James Wallace Senr	203	177	130			510
Geo. M. Dennett	168	101	131			400
Jas. T. Couenhoven	69	52	24			136
Wm. N. Purdy	87	107	114			308
Peter Lodewick	98	171	42			311
Scattering		7	6			13
—*52d Council District.*	2	5	8			
Whole number of votes	594	779	459			1832
Dennis Ryer	233	258	160			671
Josiah K. Meach	141	231	69			441
Fred. W. Wegand	114	198	94			406
Geo. Bollman	106	80	103			289
Scattering		12	13			25
—*53d Council District.*	3	6	7			
Whole number of votes	623	537	478			1638
Thomas A. Dunn	200	231	137			568
Wm. D. Cushbaum	167	111	100			378
Nathan Nesbitt	160	109	64			333
Noah A. Childs	54	84	174			312
Louis Ward	27					27
Scattering	15	2	3			20
21ST WARD—*54th Council District.*		3	3			
Whole number of votes		474	768			1242
John L. Noyes		181	227			408
Patrick Smith		104	308			368
Chas. Fitzgerald		59	119			178
John T. Wright		174	114			288

NAMES.	ELECTION DISTRICTS.						TOTAL
—55*th Council District.*			1	3			
Whole number of votes			1031	793			1824
Chas. H. Haswell			394	392			786
E. W. Keyes			276	123			399
Jas. Ward			27	8			35
Wm. Taylor			334	270			604
18th WARD—*56th Council Districts.*			5	6	7		
Whole number of votes			578	833	624		2035
Dewitt C. Weeks			203	266	113		582
Fitzwilliam Byrdsall			131	347	486		914
Chas. Addoms			244	220	75		539
—*57th Council District.*		1	2	3	4		
Whole number of votes		485	554	707	777		2523
John J. Bradley		62	166	141	239		608
Homer Franklin		256	248	247	38		769
Jas. C. Harriott		140	113	186	29		468
Simon Steinfeld		47	27	93	105		272
Henry H. Conden				35	350		385
Andrew P. Sutton				4			4
Blank				1	16		17
19th WARD—*58th Council District.*		1	2	3	4		
Whole number of votes		515	611	550	448		2134
Bryan McCahill		307	291	246	246		1090
Fredk. L. Seely		98	136	156	74		464
Jacob Acker		23	52	61	31		167
Christian Schwartz		87	132	87	96		402
Scattering					1		1
22d WARD—*59th Council District*	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Whole number of votes	766	526	338	595	419	310	2954
Wm. H. Doherty	292	109	75	177	196	70	919
Francis B. Guest	205	120	61	84	84	44	598
Chas. Wilmot	159	186	55	113	78	70	663
Henry A. Carvill	110	109	146	220	61	124	770
Peter Ferguson			1				1
Scattering				1		2	3
12th WARD—*60th Council District.*	1	2	3	4	5		
Whole number of votes	153	527	491	228	320		1719
John Vance	89	182	40	58	110		479
Isaac A. Hopper	20	115	219	59	105		518
Geo. Freudenthal	22	123	100	84	10		339
John Gillelan	22	105	128	27	92		374
Scattering		2	14		3		19

RECAPITULATION.

Of Officers Elected at Election held November 4, 1856.

Governor.....John A. King
Lieutenant Governor.....Henry H. Shelden.
Canal Commissioner.....Charles H. Sherrill.
Inspector of State Prisons.....Wesley Bailey.
Clerk of the Court of Appeals.....Russell F. Hicks.

CONGRESS.

Representative	3d	District,	Daniel E. Sickles.
"	4th	"	John Kelly.
"	5th	"	William B. Maclay.
"	6th	"	John Cochrane.
"	7th	"	Elijah Ward.
"	8th	"	Horace F. Clarke.

ASSEMBLY.

First Assembly	District,	Daniel Mahen.
Second	"	Thomas Kivlen.
Third	"	Andrew Sheehan.
Fourth	"	John D. Dixon.
Fifth	"	John J. Reilley.
Sixth	"	Nathaniel Roe.
Seventh	"	Henry J. Irving.
Eighth	"	Thomas Charlock.
Ninth	"	Erastus W. Glover.
Tenth	"	James S. Sluyter.
Eleventh	"	James J. Reilley.
Twelfth	"	Nicholas W. Mooney.
Thirteenth	"	Jos. B. Varnum, jr.
Fourteenth	"	Robert B. Bradford.
Fifteenth	"	Arthur Woods.
Sixteenth	"	Samuel F. Roberts.

MAYOR.

Fernando Wood.

COUNSEL TO CORPORATION.

Richard Busteed.

CITY JUDGE.

Abraham D. Russell.

POLICE JUSTICE—EIGHTH AND NINTH WARDS.

J. Sherman Brownell.

GOVERNORS OF THE ALMS-HOUSE.

Benjamin F. Pinckney,
Patrick G. Maloney.

TERMS OF OFFICE OF ALDERMEN.

1857.

WARD.	NAME.	TERM EXPIRES.
2.	Hiram Corwin	December 31, 1857.
4.	Bartholomew Healy	" "
6.	John Clancy	" "
8.	William Tucker	" "
10.	James Griffiths	" "
12.	David S. Jackson	" "
14.	Peter Monaghan	" "
16.	Peter Fullmer	" "
18.	Jacob H. Valentine	" "
20.	Wm. McConkey	" "
22.	Wm. B. Drake	" "
1.	Wm. Wilson	December 31, 1858.
3.	Morgan L. Harris	" "
5.	Henry R. Hoffmire	" "
7.	Thos. W. Adams	" "
9.	Solomon Banta	" "
11.	James R. Steers	" "
13.	Edward C. McConnell	" "
15.	Orison Blunt	" "
17.	Wm. Coulter	" "
19.	Thomas McSpedon	" "
21.	James Owens	" "

BOUNDARIES OF WARDS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

1857.

First Ward—Bounded, south, by Battery; east, by East river; north, by Maiden lane and Liberty street; west, by West street.

Second Ward—Bounded, south, by Maiden lane and Liberty street; west by Broadway; northwest, by Park row; northeast, by Spruce and Ferry streets, and Peck slip; east, by East river.

Third Ward—Bounded, south, by Liberty street; west, by West street; north, by Reade street; east, by Broadway.

Fourth Ward—Bounded, southwesterly, by Spruce street, Ferry street and Peck slip; east, by South street; and northeasterly, by Catharine street.

Fifth Ward—Bounded, south, by Reade street; west, by West street; northeasterly, by Canal street; east, by Broadway.

Sixth Ward—Bounded, south, by Park row and Chatham street; east, by Bowery; north, by Walker and Canal streets; west, by Broadway.

Seventh Ward—Bounded, southwesterly, by Catharine street; northwesterly, by Division and Grand streets; east, by East river; southwesterly by South street.

Eighth Ward—Bounded, south, by Canal street; west, by West street; north, by Hamersley and Honston; east, by Broadway.

Ninth Ward—Bounded, south, by Hamersley street; east by Hancock and Bleecker streets, and Sixth avenue; north by Fourteenth street.

Tenth Ward—Bounded, west, by Bowery; north, by Rivington street; east by Norfolk street; southeasterly by Division street.

Eleventh Ward—Bounded, west, by Avenue B and Clinton street; south, by Rivington street; east, by East river; north, by Fourteenth street.

Twelfth Ward—Bounded, south, by Eighty-sixth street; west, by North river, east, by East river, (including Ward's and Randall's Islands;) north, by Harlem river and Spuyton Duyvil's Creek.

Thirteenth Ward—Bounded, south, by Division and Grand streets; west, by Norfolk street; north, by Rivington street; east by East street.

Fourteenth Ward—Bounded, south, by Walker and Canal streets; west by Broadway; north, by Houston street; east, by Broadway.

Fifteenth Ward—Bounded, north, by Houston street; west, by Hancock and Bleecker streets, and Sixth avenue; north, by Fourteenth street.

Sixteenth Ward—Bounded. south, by Fourteenth street; west, by North river, north, by Twenty-sixth street; east, by Sixth avenue.

Seventeenth Ward—Bounded, south, by Rivington street; east, by Clinton street and Avenue B; north, by Fourteenth street; west, by Bowery and Fourth avenue.

Eighteenth Ward—Bounded, south, by Fourteenth street; east, by the East river; north, by Twenty-sixth street; west, by Sixth avenue.

Nineteenth Ward—Bounded, north, by Eighty-sixth street; east, by East river; south by Fertieth street; west, by Sixth avenue.

Twentieth Ward—Bounded, north, by Fortieth street; east, by Sixth avenue; south, by Twenty-sixth street; west, by Hudson river.

Twenty-first Ward—Bounded, north, by Fourteenth street; east, by East river; south, by Twenty-sixth street; west, by Sixth avenue.

Twenty-second Ward—Bounded, north, by Eighty-sixth street; east, by Sixth avenue; south, by Fertieth street; west, by Hudson river.

NUMBER OF HOUSES IN THE DIFFERENT WARDS IN 1857.

First	2,076	Twelfth	1,156
Second.	1,360	Thirteenth	1,522
Third	1,245	Fourteenth	1,537
Fourth	1,478	Fifteenth	2,538
Fifth	1,983	Sixteenth	2,366
Sixth	1,280	Seventeenth	2,768
Seventh	2,610	Eighteenth	
Eighth	2,660	Nineteenth	
Ninth	3,435	Twentieth	
Tenth	1,832	Twenty-first	
Eleventh	2,318	Twenty-second	

FORMATION OF WARDS.

In 1683 the city of New York was divided into six wards, under the designations of "South." "Dock," "East," "North," "West" and "Out" Wards; for map showing the boundaries of these wards, see page 212 of Manual of the Common Council for 1848.

The Montgomerie Charter, dated January 15th, 1730, designates, in addition to the above, the boundaries of the "Montgomerie" Ward.

By an act of the colonial government, passed February 28th, 1791, the wards are designated numerically from 1 to 7, and the bounds of each described.

By an act of the legislature, passed March 8th, 1803, the wards are increased to nine, numerically designated, and boundaries described.

The Tenth Ward was erected from the Seventh, by act of March 18th, 1808.

The Eleventh and Twelfth Wards were formed, and the boundaries of all described, by an act passed April 25th, 1825. (Chap. 195, Laws of 1825.)

13th	Ward	was erected	from the	10th	Ward, Act April 6, 1827.
*14th	"	"	6th and 8th	"	" 1827.
15th	"	"	9th	"	Mar. 23, 1832.
16th	"	"	12th	"	" 16, 1835.
17th	"	"	11th	"	Feb. 1, 1837.
18th	"	"	16th	"	" 19, 1846.
19th	"	"	12th	"	April 6, 1850.
20th	"	"	16th	"	July 9, 1851.
21st	"	"	18th	"	May 27, 1853.
22d	"	"	19th	"	June 22, 1853.

*The Sixth Ward formerly included that portion of the Fourteenth Ward which lies south of Grand street; the remainder of the Fourteenth Ward was taken from the Eighth.



A LIST OF THE MEMBERS

OF THE

CITY GOVERNMENT,

FROM ITS INCORPORATION (1653) UP TO THE PRESENT TIME; ARRANGED ALPHABETICALLY, WITH THE DIFFERENT STATIONS HELD BY THEM IN THE COMMON COUNCIL.

A.

Abeel, John, *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1767 to 1773.

Acker, Jacob, (Butcher.) *Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1837.

Ackerly, Samuel, *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1816 to 1818.

Ackerman, James, *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1850.

Adams, William, (Silver-smith,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1840 to 1842. *Alderman*, 1847, '48.

Adams, Thomas W., *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1857,

Adolph, Peter, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1688, '89.

Agnew, John, (Tobacconist,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1824. Alderman, 1825.

Alburtis, William, *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1816.

Albertson, Joseph C., (Lawyer.) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1845.

Alden, Charles, *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1844.

Allen Stephen, (Sail Loft,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1817, '18. *Alderman*, 1819, '20. *Mayor*, 1821, '22. *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1833.

Allen, Jonathan W., (Deputy Sheriff,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1847. *Alderman*, 1849. *Tax Commissioner*, 1850 to 1858.

Allerton, Geo. W., (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1842. *Assistant Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1848.

Alvord, Alonzo A., (Pres. Ins. Co.,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1850, '51. *Alderman*, 1852, '53.

Amerman, Isaac, (Flour Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1827.

Anderson, William, (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1852.

Anderson, Abel T., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1838, '39.

Anthony, Allard, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1653. *Burgomaster*, 1655 to 1661. *Schout*, 1662 to 1665. *Sheriff*, 1666 to 1673.

Anthony, John P., (Tanner,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1818. *Alderman*, 1819 to 1827.

Appleby, Charles E., (Lawyer,) *Councilman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1856.

Arcularius H , (Baker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1825, '28, '29.

Arcularius, Philip J., (Tanner,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1796 to 1799. *Alderman*, 1801.

Arden, Jacob I., *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1800.

Ashfield, Alfred, (Coal Dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1841.

Atwell, Richard H., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1842.

Avery, Ledyard, (Fish Dealer,) *Councilman*, Eighth Ward, 1856, '57.

B.

Backer, Jacobus, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1660, '64.

Baird, William, *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1854, '55.

Balis, Calvin, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1837 to 1839. *Alderman*, 1840 to 1842.

Ball, James R., *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1850, '51.

Ballagh, James, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1834.

Bancker, Christopher, *Alderman*, North Ward, 1738 to 1742, 1755.

Banks, David, (Law Bookstore,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1832. *Alderman*, 1833, '35.

Banta, Solomon, (Builder,) *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1857.

Bard, James M., (Brass Founder,) *Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1849 to 1853.

Barker, Joshua, (Air Furnaces,) *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1800, 1801, 1802.

Barker, Isaac O., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1852, 1853. *Alderman*, 1855, '56.

Barnes, Erastus, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1831. *Alderman*, 1832, 1835.

Barney, George A., (Painter,) *Councilman*, Ninth District, 1855, '56.

Barnes, J. N., (Marble Yard,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1837, 1838.

Barnes, Patrick, *Councilman*, Thirty-sixth District, 1855.

Barr, Thos. J., *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1850, 1851. *Alderman* 1852, '53.

Barry, Michael, *Councilman*, Seventh Ward, 1856, '57.

Baulch, John, (Hatter,) *Councilman*, Fifth District, 1855, '56, '57.
Baxter, William M., (Lumber Merchant,) *Councilman*, Fifty-sixth District, 1854, '55, '56.
Bayard, Nich., (Brewer,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1683, '84. *Mayor*, 1685.
Bayard, Balthazar, (Brewer,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1686, '87. *Alderman*, 1691.
Bayard, Samuel, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1698, '99, 1700. *Alderman*, 1709, '10, '11.
Bayard, Petrus, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1706, '07.
Bayard, Jacobus, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1713. *Alderman*, 1714.
Bayard, Stephen, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1734 to 1737. *Mayor*, 1744 to 1746.
Bayard, Nicholas, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1743 to 1753. *Alderman*, 1785 to 1796.
Bayard, William, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1798.
Bayles, John C., *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1844.
Beadle, Joseph N., (Tallow Chandler,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1829, '30.
Beakley, Henry, (Lawyer,) *Councilman*, Fortieth District, 1854.
Beam, Wm. H., (Grocer,) *Councilman*, Fourth District, 1855.
Bedlow, Isaac, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1667, '68, '69, '71, '72, '73.
Beekman, William, (Brewer,) *Schepen*, 1653, '54, '56, '57, '73. *Burgomaster*, 1674. *Alderman*, 1679, '80, '82, '85. *Alderman*, East Ward, 1691 to 1695.
Beekman, Gerard, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1731. *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1736, '37.
Beekman, Theophilus, *Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1789 to 1795. *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1798.
Beekman, John, (Navy Agent,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1803.
Belden, John M., (Brass Founder,) *Councilman*, Thirty-fifth District, 1854.
Bell, Caleb, *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1805.
Benedict, Erastus, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1841.
Benson, Sampson, (Farmer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1737, '38.
Benson, Robert, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1740 to 1749. *Alderman*, 1750 to 1753. *Assistant Alderman*, 1766, '67.
Benson, Egbert, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1835 to 1841, '45, '46.
Bickford, George P., (Clerk,) *Councilman*, Seventh District, 1854, '56, '57.
Bickley, William, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1698.
Bickley, May. (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1708 to 1711. *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1722, '23.
Bingham, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1807, '08, '09, '21.
Blackstone, Wyllis, *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1844.
Blagge, Benjamin, (Inn-keeper,) *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1706.

Blagge, Edward, (Inn-keeper,) *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1707 to 1715, '19, '20, '21.

Blagge, Benjamin, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1760, '61. *Alderman*, 1766 to 1773, '83 to '88.

Blommært, Adrian, (Ship Captain or Skipper,) *Schepen*, 1657.

Bloodgood, Ab., (Currier,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1804, '07.

Blunt Orison, (Gun Store,) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1854. *Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1857.

Board, Joseph, (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1803 to '05.

Board, David, (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1818, '19. *Alderman*, 1820.

Boardman, jr., William, *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1854.

Bœlen, Jacob, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, North Ward, 1695, '97, '98, 1701.

Bogardus, Robert, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1802. *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1803, '06, '09.

Bogert, Henry, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1734 to 1749.

Bogert, jr., John, *Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1756 to 1766.

Bogert, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1797. Alderman, 1798, '99, 1800, '02.

Boggs, W. G., (Newspaper,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1843.

Bolton, Thomas, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1818 to 1827.

Bolton, John, (Pres. Ins. Co.,) *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1834.

Bolster, Henry B., (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1827. *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1851.

Bonnell, Hezekiah W., (Chair-maker,) *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1842.

Boole, F. I. A., (Ship-builder,) *Councilman*, Thirtieth District, 1856, '57.

Boone, Francois, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1668.

Bouton, Edwin, (Tailor,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1852, '53.

Bowne, Andrew, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1684, '85.

Bowne, Walter, (Merchant,) *Mayor*, 1828, '29, '30, '32.

Boyce, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1850, '51. *Alderman*, 1852, '53.

Boyd, Nathaniel I., (Hardware.) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1831.

Boyd, John I., *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1834.

Brackett, Joseph W., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1812, '13, '17.

Bradhurst, Samuel, *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1840. *Alderman*, 1841.

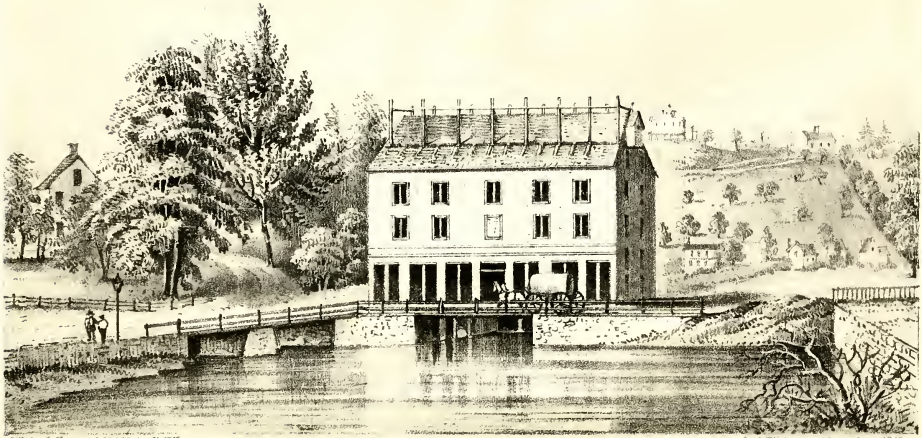
Bradley, John J., *Councilman*, Fifty-seventh District, 1856.

Brady, Thomas S., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1835, *Alderman*, 1836, '37.

Brady, William V., (Silver ware,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1842. *Alderman*, 1843, '45, '46. *Mayor*, 1847.

Brady, Warren, *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1849.

Brady, John H., (Stairs,) *Councilman*, Thirty-ninth District, 1856.



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KINGS BRIDGE, N. Y. 1856

Brasher, Abraham, (Pump-maker,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1699 to 1701.

Brasher, Philip, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1799, 1800. 1801. *Alderman*, 1802. *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1803, '04.

Brastow, Peter K., *Assistant Alderman*, Nineteenth Ward, 1853.

Breaden, Patrick, (Liquors,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1852, '53.

Brennan, Patrick, (Liquors.) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1848.

Brevoort, Jan Hendricks, (Farmer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1702, 1707 to 1713.

Brevoort, Henry, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1771, '72, '73.

Brevoort Henry, *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1802.

Brevoort, Henry, *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1841. *Alderman*, 1843.

Brewerton, George, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1761, '62. *Alderman*, 1763 to 1772.

Brewerton, Jacob, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1766 to 1769.

Brewerton, George, Jr., *Alderman*, West Ward, 1771, '72, '73.

Briggs, Daniel D., (Grocer.) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1841. *Alderman*, 1843, '45.

Briggs, John H., (Cartman.) *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1855, '56.

Brinckerhoff, George, *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward. 1740 to 1749.

Brinckerhoff, Direk, *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward. 1763, '64. *Alderman* 1765, '66, '67.

Brisley, William J., (Stoneyard), *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1852, '53.

Brittain, Stephen P., (Mason.) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1819.

Britton, Joseph, (Ice Dealer.) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1848. *Alderman*, 1849, '50, '51.

Broome, John, *Alderman*, East Ward, 1783, '84.

Broughton, Sampson Shelton, *Recorder*, 1702, '03.

Brown, Anthony, (Brewer.) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1796, '97, '98.

Brown, Noah, (Shipwright,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1813, '14.

Brown, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1816, '22.

Brown, Isaac, (Tallow Chandler.) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1826, '27. *Alderman*, 1828, '29, '30.

Brown, Benjamin N., (Hardware,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward. 1828, '29, '30.

Brown, Charles P., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1842, '43.

Brown, Edwin J., (Merchant,) *Councilman*, Forty-first District, 1854.

Brown, John L., (Tallow Chandler,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1846.

Brown, Josiah W., *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1852, '53. *Alderman*, 1854. '55 '56. *Tax Commissioner*, 1857, '58, '59.

Brown, Erastus W., *Councilman*, Fourteenth District. 1855.

Bruen, George W., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1832, '34, '35. *Alderman*, 1837.

Brush, Nehemiah, (Physician.) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1831.

Brush, Alfred, (Shoe-dealer,) *Councilman*, Twenty-fourth District, 1854, '55.

Bruyn, John Hendricks, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1684, '85. *Alderman*, 1686. *Alderman*, East Ward, 1688, '89.

Bryson, David, (Tanner,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1828, '29.

Buckmaster, George, *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1810 to 1818.

Bulteel, Wm. H., *Councilman*, Third District, 1857.

Bunting, Jacob P., *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1838.

Bunting, John A., *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1844.

Burger, Johannes, (Bricklayer,) *Alderman*, North Ward, 1735, '36, '37.

Burling, James, *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1833.

Burtis, Arthur, *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1813, '14, '15. *Alderman*, 1816, '17.

Burtsell, William, (Accountant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1823, '24,

Buyce, Matthew, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1764 to 1760.

Byrdsall, Fitzwilliam, *Councilman*, Fifty-Sixth District, 1857.

Byrne, Henry H., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1846.

Byvanck, Evert, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1697, '98. *Alderman* 1699, 1700.

Byvanck, Evert, *Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1754.

Byvanck, Peter, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1762 to 1765.

C.

Campbell, And. J., *Councilman*, Twenty-third District, 1857.

Campbell, John, (Potbaker,) *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1792, '93, '94, '95.

Campbell, Thomas J., (Lumber Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1807, '08.

Campbell, Freeman, (Lumber Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1838, '39 *Alderman*, 1840.

Candee, Lyman, (Patent Crane,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1845.

Cannon, Mott, (Dry Goods Store,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1813.

Cargill, Henry A., (Importer,) *Councilman*, Fifty-ninth District, 1856.

Carman, Richard F. (Builder,) *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1842.

Carmer, Nicholas, (Sail Maker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1791 to 1798. *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1799, 1800.

Caroley, Thomas, (Iron-railing Manufacturer,) *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1848. *Sheriff*, 1849, '50, '51.

Carolin, Dines, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1847. *Alderman*, 1848.

Carpenter, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1809. '10, '11.

Cebra, John Y., (Hardware Merchant,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1825, '26, 1833.

Chambers, John, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1729, '30 to '32, '33.

Chamberlain, William, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1839, '40.

Chapman, Warren, (Paint Store,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1849. *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1850, '51.

Chapman, R. W., *Councilman*, Fortieth District, 1857.

Charlick, Oliver, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1843, '44. *Alderman*, First Ward, 1845.
Chauncey, William, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward 1854.
Christy, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1854, '55.
Clancy, John, (Coal dealer,) *Councilman*, Eleventh District, 1854, '55. *Alderman*, 1856, '57.
Clark, Aaron, *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1835. *Alderman*, 1836. *Mayor*, 1837, '38.
Clark, George F., *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1847, '48. *Alderman*, 1849.
Clark, James E., *Councilman*, Ninth District, 1857.
Clark, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1690 to 1693.
Clayton, Edwin B , (Stationer,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1843.
Cleary, William, (Morocco Store,) *Councilman*, Fifth District, 1854.
Cleveland, John, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1835.
Clifton, Gideon, (Merchant,) *Councilman*, Third District, 1854, '55, '56.
Clinch, George, (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1835.
Clinton, Dewitt, (Lawyer,) *Mayor*, 1803 to 1814.
Clock, Martin, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1695, '97. *Alderman*, 1698 to 1701.
Clock, Albert, (Shoemaker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1710 to 1714.
Clopper, Peter, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1751 to 1762.
Coe, William S., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1825, '26. *Alderman*, 1827, '28.
Coen, William, *Assistant Alderman*, 1686.
Coger, John, Jr., *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1847.
Coker, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1690.
Colden Cadwallader D., (Lawyer,) *Mayor*, 1818, '19, '20.
Colegrove, James E., (Carpenter,) *Councilman*, Eighteenth District, 1856.
Coleman, David, (Deputy Sheriff,) *Councilman*, Eighteenth District, 1855.
Coles, John B., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1797, '98. *Alderman*, First Ward, 1799, 1800, '01, '15, '16, '17.
Coles, Joseph, *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1823.
Colon, John R., *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1847.
Colyer, Henry W., (Stables,) *Councilman*, Twenty-eighth District, 1856, '57.
Compton, Richard T., (Ice Dealer,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1845, '46, '52, '53.
Conklin, Jonas F., *Assistant Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1849. *Alderman*, 1850, '51.
Conner, Thomas, (Charcoal Dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1838, '39. *Alderman*, 1845.
Conover, Stephen, (Hardware,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1823.
Conover, Daniel D., (Merchant.) *Councilman*, Fifty-third District, 1854, '55.
Conrey Peter, (Inspector of Lumber,) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward. 1816.
Cook, James H., (Grocer,) *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1838, '39, '50 '51.
Cook, John, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1693,

Cooper, Caleb, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1802.
Cooper, Thomas, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1815, '16.
Cooper, Francis, (Copper-smith,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1821.
Cooper, Peter, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1828, '29, '30. *Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1840.
Cooper, Cornelius S., (Coal Dealer,) *Councilman*, Twenty-third District, 1854. '55, '56.
Cooper, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Councilman*, Thirty-fifth District, 1855.
Corbett, Abraham, (Innkeeper,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1685.
Corbett, John, (Distiller,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1702.
Cornelison, Aricn, (Farmer,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1684. *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1687.
Cornell, Robert C., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1834.
Cornell, William H., (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1845. *Alderman*, 1852, '53.
Corwin, Hiram, (Grocer,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1856, '57.
Cosseau, Jaques, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1662, '63, '65.
Coutant, Gilbert, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1805.
Coulthard, William, (Brewer.) *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1815.
Coulter, Wm., (Builder.) *Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1857.
Coventry, William, *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1756, '57.
Covert, George H., (Wharfinger,) *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1854.
Cowan, William W., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1828.
Cowdrey, Samuel, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1822. *Alderman*, 1824.
Cox, Jameson, (Baker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1823, '24. *Alderman*, 1825, '26.
Cox, William, (Bolter,) *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1683.
Cozzens, William B., (Hotel.) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1844.
Couenhoven, J. T., *Councilman*, Fifty-first District, 1855.
Crane, Benjamin, (Stationer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1819, '20, '21.
Crane, Charles, (Flour Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1849. '50. '51.
Crane, Wm. H., (Goldbeater,) *Councilman*, Tenth District, 1856, '57.
Crawford, James, (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1853.
Crawford, Peter, *Councilman*, Eighteenth District, 1854, '57.
Crolius, John, (Potter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1799.
Crolius, Clarkson, (Potter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1802, '03, '04,
Crolius, Clarkson, Jr., *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1838. *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1842. *Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1847, '48.
Crook, John, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1694.
Crundell, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1686. *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1687.
Cruger, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1712 to 1733. *Mayor*, 1739 to 1743.

Cruger, John, Jr., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1754, '55. *Mayor*, 1757 to 1765.
Crigier, Martin, (Trader,) *Burgomaster*, 1653, '54, '59, '60, '63.
Cummings, John P., (Contractor,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1847.
Cunningham, Richard, (Tanner,) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1810, '11, '12.
Curry, Francis M., *Councilman*, Fifty-second District, 1854, '55
Curtenius, Peter T., *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1768, '69. *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1789.
Curtis, Edward, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1835, '36.
Cusack, Andrew, *Councilman*, Seventh District, 1855.
Cuyler, Henry, Jr., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1758, '59.

D.

Darkins, Robert, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, West Ward, 1691 to 1696.
Darvall, William, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1673. *Mayor*, 1675.
Davies, Henry E., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1841. *Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1842. *Counsel to Corporation*, 1849, '50, '51, '52.
Davis, William A., *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1819. *Alderman* Ninth Ward, 1824. *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1825.
Davis, Abraham B., (Flour Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1841.
Day, William, (Locksmith,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1833.
Dean, Charles G., *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1849, '50.
Deforest, Isaac, (Brewer,) *Schepen*, 1658.
De Forest, Charles, (Sugar Refiner,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1836. *Alderman*, 1837, '38.
De Forest, Theodore R., *Alderman*, First Ward, 1847, 48. *Assistant Commissioner of C. A. D.*, 1849 to 1850.
De Kay, Tunis, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1685, '86, '87, '91, '92.
De Kay, Jacobus, *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1702, '03, '04, '05.
De Kay, Thomas, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1733.
Delamater, John, (Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1834. *Alderman*, 1835.
Delamater, Samuel, (Builder,) *Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1850, '51.
Delamontague, Jacob, *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1796 to 1799. *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1803, '04, '05.
Delancy, Stephen, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1690, '91, '92. *Alderman*, West Ward, 1713.
Delancy, Oliver, *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1754, '55, '56.
Delancy, Peter, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1686, '87. *Mayor*, 1688, '89.
Delavall, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1655. *Mayor*, 1666. *Alderman*, 1667, '70. *Mayor*, 1671, '78.
Delavall, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1685.
Demarest, Thomas, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1806.

De Meyer, Nicholas, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1664. *Alderman*, 1669, '70, '75. *Mayor*, 1676. *Assistant Alderman*, 1685.

Deming, Barzilla, (Cabinet Warehouse,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1839.

Demilt, Anthony, (Baker,) *Sheriff*, 1673. *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1687.

Dennie, Christopher, (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1707, '08.

Denman, Ashael A., (Lime Dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1849. *Alderman*, 1852, '53.

De Peyster, Johannes, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1655, '57, '58, '62, '65. *Alderman*, 1666, '67, '69. *Burgomaster*, 1673. *Alderman*, 1673, '76. *Deputy Mayor*, 1677.

De Peyster, Abraham, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1685. *Mayor*, 1691 to 1694.

De Peyster, Johannes, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1694, '95. *Mayor*, 1698. *Alderman*, East Ward, 1700, '01, '10.

De Peyster, Cornelius, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1703 to 1705, 1710 to 1718.

De Peyster, Isaac, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1730 to 1733.

De Peyster, Abraham, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1735 to 1759.

De Peyster, Pierre, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, West Ward, 1748 to 1758.

De Peyster, Wm., *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1750 to 1753.

De Peyster, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1783.

De Peyster, Gerard, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1806, 1820. *Alderman*, 1821.

De Riemer, Isaac, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1696, '97. *Alderman*, West Ward, 1699. *Mayor*, 1700. *Alderman*, East Ward, 1702, '07. *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1714, '15, '16, '17.

Desbrosses, Elias, *Alderman*, East Ward, 1767 to 1770.

De Sille, Nicausus, (Professor,) *Schout*, 1657 to 1660.

Devoe, Charles, (Butcher,) *Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1844.

Dibblee, Fyler, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1829, '30. *Alderman*, 1831.

Dickinson, Charles, *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1808 to 1813.

Dickinson, Charles, (Ship Chandler,) *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1809.

Dickinson, Jeremiah J., (Inspector,) *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1844.

Divver, Joseph A., (Wine Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1844. *Alderman*, 1845.

Dixon, R. S., *Councilman*, Twenty-fourth District, 1856.

Dod, Lewis S., (Brass Founder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1846. *Alderman*, 1847.

Dodge, Jeremiah, *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1826. *Alderman*, 1828.

Dodge, Charles J., (Ship Carver,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1839, '41, '42, '43. *Alderman*, 1845.

Dodge, William, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1842, '43.
Dodge, Jacob L., (Butcher,) *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1847, '48.
Dodge, Daniel, *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1850, '51.
Doherty, John, (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, Nineteenth Ward, 1852, '53.
Doherty, W. H., (Lawyer,) *Councilman*, Fifty-ninth District, 1857.
Donoho, Michael C., *Councilman*, Twelfth District, 1854, '55.
Dooley, William A., *Alderman*, Nineteenth Ward, 1855.
Doty, Chas., *Councilman*, Thirty-third District, 1857.
Doughty, George S., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1822 *Alderman*, 1823.
Dougherty, Charles H., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1843.
Dougherty, Theodore M., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1846.
Douglass, Isaac S., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1809, '10. *Alderman*, 1811, '12, '13.
Duow, Gerard, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1691. *Alderman*, 1692 to 1697.
Downing, George, (Lumber Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward-1822.
Downing, Thomas K., (Druggist,) *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1848, *City Inspector*, 1853, '54, '55.
Drake, James, *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1801. *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1804, '05, '07, 08.
Drake, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1808. *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1811.
Drake, Elias G., (President Bank,) *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1844.
Drake, William B., (Speculator,) *Alderman*, Twenty-second Ward, 1854, '55, '56, '57.
Droilhett, Paul, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1806, '07, '08.
Duane, James, (Lawyer,) *Mayor*, 1783 to 1788.
Dunlap, Thomas, (Hotel,) *Councilman*, Forty fourth District, 1855.
Dunn, Thos. A., *Councilman*, Fifty-third District, 1856, '57.
Dunning, Smith, (Hotel,) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1843.
Dunscombe, Daniel E., *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1824.
Dunshee, Samuel, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1831, '32. *Alderman*, 1833.
Duychink, Garret, (Painter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1688, '89, '97.
Dyckman, John, *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1769 to 1773.
Dyckman, Jacobus, *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1822.
Dyckman, Isaac, *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1833, '34.

E.

Earl, Morris J., *Councilman*, Fifty-fourth District, 1854.
Ebbing, Jeronimus, (Trader,) *Schepen*, 1659, '61, '73.

Edwards, Moses C., (Cider Dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Nineteenth Ward. 1851.

Elliott, George, *Councilman*, Thirty-second District, 1854.

Elting, Peter, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1787, '88.

Elsworth, George, (Butcher.) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1702.

Elsworth, William T., (Pewterer,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1789, '90, 91.

Ely, Nathan C., (President Insurance Company,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1851. *Alderman*, 1854, '55, '56.

Emmans, James, (Grocer,) *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1843, '44.

Emmons, Isaac, (Collector,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1820. *Alderman*, 1821.

Engs, Philip W., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1825. *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1828, '29, '30.

Erben, Henry, (Organ builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1836.

Esquirol, Peter, (Tobacconist,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1842.

Euwatse, John, (Potmaker,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1695, '97, '98.

Everdell, William, (Engraver,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1844.

F.

Farlie, James, (Clerk Supreme Court,) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1804, '05, '22, '23.

Faneuil, Benjamin, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1703.

Farran, Thomas, *Councilman*, Thirty-seventh District, 1854, '55, '56.

Few, William, *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1814, '15.

Feeks, Stephen H., *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1846. *Alderman*, 1847.

Fell, Christopher, (Bolter,) *Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1734, '35, '36.

Ferris, Charles G., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1832, *Alderman*, 1833.

Ferris, James, *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1834, '35, '39, '40.

Ferris, Ebenezer, (Eating House,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1849,

Fickett, Francis, (Shipbuilder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1832, '33. *Alderman*, 1834, '35.

Filkin, Francis, *Alderman*, South Ward, 1752 to 1769. *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1770 to 1773.

Fish, Whitehead, (Teller, Man. Bank,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1803.

Fish,* Nicholas, *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1806 to 1816.

Fitzgerald, Edmund, *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1848.

Floyd, William, (Grocer.) *Councilman*, Thirty-third District, 1855, '56.

Foote, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1837. *Alderman*, 1846.

* The author regrets that in consequence of a misprint, Nicholas Fish was made to appear in the last and former issues as having served as Alderman of the Eight Ward in 1808, in lieu of the Ninth Ward.

Forbes, Gilbert, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1766, '67.
Forbes, David A., (Printer,) *Councilman*, Thirty-third District, 1854.
Ford, Lewis, (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1822.
Foster, William R., (Grocer.) *Councilman*, Twenty-sixth District, 1854.
Fox, Charles, (Grocer.) *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1855, '56.
Francis, Charles, (Saddler,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1850. *Alderman*, 1852, '53.
Franklin, Morris, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1837. *Alderman*, 1841, '47, '48.
Franklin, George H., (Ship Chandler,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1848. *Alderman*, 1849, '50, '51.
Franklin, Homer, *Councilman*, Fifty-Seventh District, 1857.
Fransway, Lewis, *Councilman*, Nineteenth District, 1857.
Fream, William W., *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1848.
Fred, John, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1734, '35, '36.
French, Philip, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1696. *Alderman*, 1701. *Mayor*, 1702.
Frye, Frederick, (Lawyer,) *Councilman*, Forty-ninth District, 1854.
Fulmer, Peter, (Coachmaker.) *Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1856, '57.
Furman, Gabriel, *Alderman*, First Ward, 1792 to 1798.
Furman, Richard, *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1797, '98, '99.

G.

Gabry, Timotheus, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1660, '61, '62, '64, '65.
Gafney, Bernard, (Grocer,) *Councilman*, Fiftieth District, 1854.
Gale, William, (Silver ware,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1844.
Gannon, Charles, (Smith,) *Councilman*, Second District, 1854, '55.
Gavitt, Amos T., (Clothier,) *Councilman*, Fourth District, 1856.
Gedney, Sylvanus, (Builder,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1842.
Gelston, Maltby, *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1821.
Getty, Robert P., (Inspector,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1848.
Gibbs, Thomas, (Merchant.) *Alderman*, 1675. *Deputy Mayor*, 1676.
Gilbert, William W., (Silversmith,) *Alderman*, West Ward, 1783 to 1788. *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1801. *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1804.
Gilbert, John J., (Ship Joiner,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1845. *Alderman*, 1846.
Gilford, Samuel, Jr., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1825, '26.
Gilmartin, Thomas, *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1846. *Alderman*, 1847.
Gilmartin, Martin, *Councilman*, Thirteenth District, 1857.
Gotier, Andrew, *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1765, '66, '67. *Alderman*, 1768 to 1773.
Gouverneur, Abraham, *Recorder*, 1800, 1801.
Graham, James, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1680, '82. *Recorder*, 1683 to 1699.

Graham, David, Jr, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1833, '30. *Alderman*, 1840.

Gray, Neil. (Secretary Insurance Company,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1845, '46, '47. *Alderman*, 1848.

Gray, Orlando, (Stages,) *Councilman*, Sixteenth District, 1854, '55, '56.

Greenfield, John V., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1835. *Alderman*, 1836, '37.

Groeveraat, Isaac, (Trader.) *Schepen*, 1664.

Griffin, Edmund, *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1849. *Alderman*, 1850, '51.

Griffith, Anthony, *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1787.

Griffiths, James, (Croton hose.) *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1856, '57.

Guion, Benjamin L., *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1839.

H.

Haight, Benj. (Saddler.) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1806, '08.

Haley, Dudley, (Fish Dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1850, '51. *Alderman*, 1852, '53.

Hall, James, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1822.

Hall, Charles Henry, *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1831, '32.

Hall, William, (Music Store,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1836, '37. *Alderman*, 1838.

Haley, David, (Ship Joiner.) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1833.

Halsey, Isaac, *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1833.

Halsey, Benton W., (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1840.

Hamersley, Andrew, *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1773.

Hammond, Judah, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1819, '20. *Alderman*, 1821. *Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1833.

Hardenbrook, Johannes, (Baker.) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1695, '96. *Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1731, '32, '33.

Hardenbrook, Abel, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1732, '33.

Hardenbrook, John, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1771, '72, '73.

Hardenbrook, Theophilus, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1772 '73.

Hardenbrook, Wm. A., *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1809 to 1814.

Harrison, Francis, (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1725 to 1734.

Harper, Samuel, B. (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1822.

Harper, James, (Publisher.) *Mayor*, 1844.

Harris, Richard, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1704, '05, '06.

Harris, Morgan L., *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1857.

Harrison, Richard, (Lawyer.) *Recorder*, 1798, '99.

Harson, Garret, *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1790. *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1792 to 1797.

Harsen, Jacob, *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1803.

Hart, Monmouth B., (Teacher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1838 *Alderman*, 1839.

Hart, Emanuel B., (Broker,) *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1845, '46.
Hart, John, (Liquors,) *Councilman*, Thirty-second District, 1855, '56.
Hasbrouck, Stephen, (Physician,) *Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1844.
Haswell, Charles H., (Engineer,) *Councilman*, Fifty-fifth District, 1855, '57.
Hatfield, Abraham, *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1840 to 1843.
Hatfield, Amos F., *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1847. *Alderman*, 1848, '49.
Havemeyer, William F., (Sugar Refiner,) *Mayor*, 1845, '48.
Haws, Robert H., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1849, '50, '51.
Hawes, Peter, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1809, '10, '11.
Hazard, Thomas, (Currier,) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1786, '87.
Healy, Bartholomew, (Shoe Store,) *Councilman*, Sixth District, 1854, '55, *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1856, '57.
Heathcote, Caleb, *Mayor*, 1711, '12, '13.
Hedden, Josiah, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1811, '12, '24.
Heermans, Egbert, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1703, '04.
Hegeman, Adrian, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1805, '08.
Hemphill, Alex., (Clerk.) *Councilman*, Twenty-second District, 1856, '57.
Henry, Thomas S., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1843, '44. *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1845.
Herrick, Anson, (Editor,) *Alderman*, Nineteenth Ward, 1854, '55, '56.
Herring, Albert, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1754 to 1758.
Herring, Silas C., (Iron Safes,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1847, '48. *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1849.
Hibbard, Timothy R., (Druggist,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1848.
Hicks, Whitehead, (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1763 to 1766. *Mayor*, 1766 to 1773.
Hitchcock, John, *Assisthnt Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1825.
Hodgkinson, Worthington, *Councilman*, Forty-fourth District, 1854.
Hoffman, Josiah Ogden, (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1810, '13, '14.
Hoffman, Murray, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1837.
Hoffman, Philip V., (Merchant,) *Assitant Alderman*, First Ward, 1841.
Hoffmire, Henry R. (Baker,) *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1854, '55, '56.
Holden, Horace, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1834.
Holder, Charles J., (Piano-fortes,) *Councilman*, Twenty-second District, 1854, '55.
Holland, Edward, *Mayor*, 1747 to 1756.
Holly, William W., *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1831, '32. *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1836, '37. *Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1838.
Holmes, Eldad, *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1817.
Hone, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1819.

Hone, Philip, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1823, '24. *Mayor*, 1825.

Hoogland, Christopher, *Schepen*, 1664. *Alderman*, 1688, *Schepen*, 1674. *Alderman*, 1678.

Hoogland, Abraham, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1808.

Hoogland, William, (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1809.

Hopkins, Samuel M. (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1804, '05. *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1807, '08.

Hopkins, Gilbert, *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1833, '34.

Hopper, John, (Baker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1806.

Hopper, Samuel, (Grocer,) *Councilman*, Twenty-fourth District, 1856.

Hopper, Isaac A., *Councilman*, Sixtieth District, 1856, '57.

Horn, James, *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1844.

Horsemanden, Daniel, (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1735 to 1746.

Howe, Thomas D., (Mason,) *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1838, '39.

Howard, Henry H., *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1854, '55.

Hoxie, Joseph, *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1837.

Hughes, Henry, (Oil Dealer,) *Councilman*, Eleventh District, 1857.

Huggit, Benjamin, *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1767 to 1772.

Hunt, Obadiah, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1726 to 1729.

Hunt, Daniel H., (Shoe Store,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1853.

Hunt, Isaac O., (*Clerk*,) Councilman, Twenty-fourth District, 1856, '57.

Hunt, J. Wesley, *Councilman*, Thirty-fifth District, 1857.

Husted, Samuel M., (Feed Store,) *Councilman*, Forty-fifth District, 1854, '55.

Hutchins, John, (Inn Keeper,) *Alderman*, West Ward, 1697, '98, 1703.

Huysman, Aert, *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1784.

Hyde, William F., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1837.

I.

Ingersoll, Chandler L., (Boat Builder,) *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1849.

Ingraham, Daniel P., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*. Twelfth Ward, 1835. *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1836, '37.

Innes, Edward S., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1841.

Inyan, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1677. *Deputy Mayor*, 1678. *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1683.

Ireland, William H., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1821, '22. *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1823, '24, '27.

Ivers, Thomas, *Alderman*, 1783.

J.

Jackson, David S., *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1843. *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1844, '45, '46, '56, '57.

Jackson, Moses, W. S., *Assistant Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1846. *Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1849.

Jackson, William F., *Assistant Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1847.

Jackson, Joseph A., (Pawnbroker,) *Councilman*, Eighth District, 1854, '55.

Jamison, David, (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1712 to 1723.

Jamison, Joseph, (Saddler,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1847, '48. *Alderman*, First Ward, 1849.

Janeway, George, (Brewer,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1784 to 1795. *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1803, '04.

Jansen, Johannes, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1703, '04, '05, '06, 1712 to 1725. *Mayor*, 1728.

Jansen, Joris, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1756 to 1760.

Jarvis, Nathaniel, jr., *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1838, '39. *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1840.

Jay, Augustus, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1723, '24, '25.

Jay, Peter, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1738, '39.

Jay, Peter A., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1826. *Recorder*, 1819, '20.

Jenkins, George W., (Auctioneer,) *Councilman*, Sixtieth District, 1855.

Jeremiah, Thomas, (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1828, '29, '30. *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1831. *Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1838.

Jeremiah, Thomas F., (Teller, Bowery Bank,) *Councilman*, Forty-sixth District, 1854.

Jelleson, Hendrick, *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1699, 1700, '01.

Johnson, Simon, *Alderman*, South Ward, 1734 to 1747. *Recorder*, 1747 to 1766.

Johnson, Samuel, (Silversmith,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1783.

Johnson, Wm. Samuel, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1834.

Johnson, Leonard L., (Provision Dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1844. *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1846.

Johnson, John, (Merchant,) *Mayor*, 1714 to 1718.

Jones, Thomas, (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1769, '70, '71, '72.

Jones, Samuel, (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1789 to 1795.

Jones, Samuel, jr., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1809 to 1817. *Recorder*, 1823.

Jones, Thomas, jr., *Councilman*, Forty-second District, 1857.

Jones, Robert, *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1840 to 1842.

Jordan, Lawrence P., (Chairmaker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1835, '36.

Judd, Samuel, (Oil Merchant,) *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1836.

Judson, Wm. W., *Councilman*, Sixteenth District, 1857.

K.

Kelly, Joel, *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1836.
Kelly, James, (Baker,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1847, '49.
Kelly, Patrick, (Grocer,) *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1849, '50, '51.
Kelly, John, (Gratemaker, *Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1854, '55.
Kelly, Thomas *Councilman*, Thirty-seventh District, 1857.
Kennard, John, (Paper Dealer,) *Councilman*, Twenty-first District, 1856, 1857.
Kennedy, John A., (Paint Store,) *Councilman*, Ninth District, 1854.
Kent, James, (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1796, '97.
Kerrigan, James E., *Councilman*, Thirteenth District, 1854, '55, '56.
Keteltas, Abraham, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1703 to 1706. *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1708, '09.
Kettleman, John, (Builder,) *Councilman*, Forty-fourth District, 1857.
Kimbal, Elijah H., (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1841.
Kimbark, Everett H., (Physician,) *Councilman*. Twenty-ninth District, 1854.
King, Peter, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1691.
King, Abraham, (Grocer,) *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1804, '05 *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1807.
King, Elisha W., (Lawyer.) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1810 to 1815. *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1818 to 1824.
Kingsland, Ambrose C., (Merchant.) *Mayor*, 1851, '52.
Kip, Hendrick Hendrickson, (Tailor,) *Schepen*, 1656.
Kip, Jacob, (Brewer,) *Schepen*, 1659, '62, '63, '65, '73, '74.
Kip, Johannes, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1684. *Alderman*, 1685 *Alderman*, North Ward, 1687, '91, '92, '96.
Kip, Jacobus, (Merchant.) *Alderman*, North Ward, 1709 to 1726
Kip, Samuel, (Farmer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1729, '30.
Kip, Samuel, jr., *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1807.
Kip, Leonard, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1717, '18. *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1819, '20.
Kip, John G., *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1850.
Kirby, Edmund, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward 1809.
Knight, William, *Sheriff*, 1674.
Kohler, Frederick D., *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1847. *Alderman*, 1848.
Kortright, Cornelius, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1738, '39.
Kuyter, Jochem Pieterson, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1654.

L.

Labagh, John J., (Stone yard,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1831. '32, '33. *Alderman*, First Ward, 1834, '35. *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1840.

Lamb, Anthony, *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1825 to 1831.

Lamb, John W., (Blockmaker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1834. *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1835.

Lamb, Chester, (Stables.) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1847.

Lambrecht, A., *Councilman*, Forty-eighth District, 1754, '55.

Lansing, John G , *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1760, '61, '62.

Lawrence, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1665 to 1672 *Mayor*, 1673. *Alderman*, 1681, '82, '84 *Alderman*, East Ward, 1672. *Mayor*, 1691.

Lawrence, Samuel, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1739 to 1747. *Alderman*, East Ward, 1748.

Lawrence, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1762, '63.

Lawrence, Jonathan, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1784.

Lawrence, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1788.

Lawrence, Augustine H., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1809 to 1813. *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1814, '15, '16.

Lawrence, Jonathan, *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1813.

Lawrence, Cornelius W., (Merchant,) *Mayor*, 1834, '35, '36.

Lawrence, Thomas, *Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1838, '39.

Lawrence, Abraham R , *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1847.

Leary, Andrew, (Grocer,) *Councilman*, Forty-second District, 1856.

Lee, Gideon, (Leather Store,) *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1825, '29, '30. *Mayor*, 1833.

Lee, Frederick R., (Hardware store,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1839, '40. *Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1841, '42, '43.

Lee, Thomas R., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1841.

Lefferts, Jacobus, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1770. *Alderman*, East Ward, 1771, '72, '73.

Lenox, Robert, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1795 to 1801.

Leonard, Moses G., (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1840. *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1841, '42

Leroy, Jacob, *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1802. *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1813, *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1806.

Le Roux, Bartholomew, (Goldsmith,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1702 to 1712.

Le Roux, Charles, (Goldsmith.) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1735 to 1738.

Levingston, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1750 to 1755.

Levingston, James, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1748 to 1753.

Lewis, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1675, '79.

Lewis, Leonard, (Merchant.) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1696 to 1699.

Libby, James S., (Hotel,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1848.

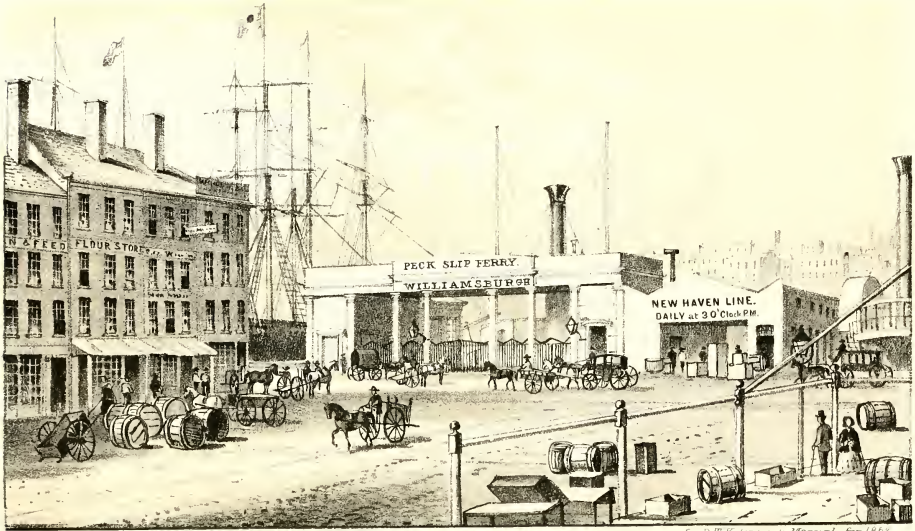
Lindsey, George, (Stonecutter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1798.

Lispenard, Leonard, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1750 to 1755. *Alderman*, North Ward. 1756 to 1762.

Livingston, Philip, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1754 to 1760.
Livingston, Philip, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1754 to 1762.
Livingston, Robert R , (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1773.
Livingston, Wm. S , (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1791.
Livingston, Edward, (Lawyer,) *Mayor*, 1801, '02.
Livingston, Maturin, (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1804, '05, '07.
Livingston Livingston, (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1846.
Loockermans, Govert, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1657.
Lord, Daniel D., (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1854, '55.
Lorillard, Jacob, (Tanner,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1814, '15, '16.
Lott, Abraham P., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1764. '65. *Alderman*, West Ward, 1768 to 1786.
Lovelace, Thomas, *Alderman*, 1672.
Lovett, John, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward. 1828, '29, '30. *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1834, '35.
Lozier, John, (Supt. Manh. Water Works,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1825. *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1826, '27, '28.
Ludlam, Stephen, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1806,'07.
Lurting, Robert, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1698, 1701, '02. *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1704, '05. *Alderman*, East Ward, 1708, '09. *Mayor*, 1726 to 1734.
Luyck, Aegidius, (Teacher,) *Burgomaster*, 1673.
Lynch, James, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1826, '27. *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1838.
Lynsen, Abraham, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1750.

M.

Mabbatt, Samuel, R., (Coal Dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1851, '52, 53.
Mabey, Robert L., *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1853.
Maclay, Archibald, jr., (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1845, '46.
Macnevin, William J., (Physician.) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1827.
Maerschalk, Andries, (Bolter,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1714 to 1727.
Malcolm, William, (Ship Chandler,) *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1785.
Man, Edward, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1737.
Mandeville, Wm., (Cabinet-maker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1828, '29, '30, '31. *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1832.
Mann, Asa, (Lumber Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1812, '13, '14, '15. *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1819 to '25.
Manning, John, (Capt., R. A.,) *Sheriff*, 1667, '68, ,69, '70.



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Mansfield, William H., *Councilman*, Forty-sixth District, 1857.
Mapes, Jonas, *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1813, '14, '15, '16.
Marius, Peter Jacobs, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1677 to 1682.
Marsh, David, (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1822. *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1829, '30.
Marshall, John, *Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1740 to 1749.
Mason, Joel W., (Chair-maker), *Councilman*, Fifty-seventh District, 1854, '55.
Martin, Robert, (Cordial Distiller,) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1812, '13.
Martin, Jos. D., *Councilman*, Nineteenth District, 1856.
Mather, Frederick E., (Lawyer,) *Councilman*, Fifty-seventh District, 1854, '55.
Maynard, Hiram A., *Councilman*, Fifty-eighth District, 1856.
McCartie, Peter, (*Alderman*,) Fourth Ward, 1813, '14, '15.
McCarthy, Dennis, *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1832, '33.
McCarthy, Florence, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1850, '51.
McCahill, Bryan, (Contractor.) *Councilman*, Fifty-eighth District, 1855-7.
McClave, John, (Builder,) *Councilman*, Fifty-first District, 1854.
McConkey, William, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Twentieth Ward, 1852, '53. *Alderman*, Twentieth Ward, 1856, '57.
McCormick, Daniel, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1789, 1790.
McConnell, Edward C., *Councilman*, Thirty-fourth District, 1855, '56. *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1857.
McConnell, John, *Councilman*, Thirty-fourth District, 1857.
McCrea, Stephen, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1789, '90, '91.
McDermott, William, jr., (Builder,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1848.
McElrath, Thomas, (Newspaper,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1846. *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1847.
McGown, S. Benson, *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1852, '53.
McIntyre, John, (Grocer,) *Councilman*, Forty-second District, 1854.
M'Kinley, George, *Councilman*, Twelfth District, 1856.
McKnight, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1847. *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1848.
McLoughlin, M., *Councilman*, Thirty-second District, 1857.
McQueen, Robt., (Air Furnaces.) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1816. *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1817 to 1822.
McSpedon, Thomas, (Printer,) *Alderman*, Nineteenth Ward, 1857.
Mead, Henry, *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1821. *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1822.
Mead, Walter, (Coal Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1842.
Meigs, Henry, (Lawyer, *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1831, '32.
Mercer, Edwin J., (Eating-house,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1849.

Merritt, William, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1681. *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1687. *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1691, '92, '93. *Mayor*, 1695, '96, '97.

Merritt, John, *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1690, '91.

Merritt, Isaac B., (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1836. *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1837.

Merritt, George, *Councilman*, Forty-third District, 1856

Meserole, Bernard J., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1827. *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1828, 1845, '46, '47.

Mesier, Abraham, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1698 to 1701.

Mesier, Abraham, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1770, '71, '72, '73.

Mesier, Peter, *Alderman*, West Ward, 1759, '60, '61, 62.

Mesier, Peter, (Flour Merchant,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1807 to 1818.

Meyer, Adolph, (Farmer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1693, '94.

Mickle, Andrew H., (Tobacconist.) *Mayor*, 1846.

Miller, John D., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1805 *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1806, '07.

Miller, John, (Lumber Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1837.

Miller, William S., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1844.

Miller, Jacob, (Lumber Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1845.

Miller, Jedediah, (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1848. *Alderman*, 1850, '51.

Miller, David, (Moulder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1849, '51.

Miller, F. J., *Councilman*, Forty-eighth District, 1856.

Miller, Amos, *Councilman*, Twenty-ninth District, 1857.

Minthorne, Philip, (Farmer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1718 to 1742.

Minthorne, Mangle, *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1792 to 1799. *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1800 to 1804. *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1808, '09.

Minvielle, Gabriel, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1675. *Mayor*, 1684.

Mitchell, Jesse, *Councilman*, Forty-third District, 1857.

Moller, George H., *Councilman*, Fifty-ninth District, 1854.

Moneghan, P., (Book-binder,) *Councilman*, Thirty-sixth District, 1854, '55. *Alderman*. Fourteenth Ward, 1856, '57.

Monroe, James, *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1832. *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1833, '34.

Munroe, Thomas, *Councilman*, Fourth District, 1857.

Moore, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1730 to 1734. *Alderman*, South Ward, 1737.

Moore, Abraham, (Tobacconist.) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1851. *Alderman*, First Ward, 1852, '53.

Moore, Jacob S., (Cooper,) *Councilman*, Forty-third District, 1855.

Morgan, Edwin D., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1849.

Morgans, Morgan, (Founder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1813. *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1841, '50, '51.
Morris, Andrew, *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1802 to 1806.
Morris, Robert H., (Lawyer,) *Mayor*, 1841, '42, '43.
Morse, John, (Mason,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1810. *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1811, '12, '18, '19.
Moser, Samuel H., *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1855, '56.
Morton, Jacob, (Lawyer.) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1803.
Mott, Jacob, *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1804. *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1805 to 1808.
Mott, Wm. W., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1825, '26. *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1827 to 1830.
Mott, Horatio, (Ship Chandler,) *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1844.
Mott, Richard, (Lawyer.) *Alderman*, Twenty-first Ward, 1854.
Mulligan, John W., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1806, '07, '08.
Mullins, Dennis, (Glover.) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1846, '47. *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1849.
Munson, Reuben, (Comb maker,) *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1813 to 1823.
Murphy, W. D., (Sailmaker.) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1841.
Murray, James B., *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1821. *Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1832.
Murray, Mathew, *Councilman*, Eleventh District, 1856.
Murray, James, *Councilman*, Forty-fifth District, 1857.
Myer, Ede, *Assistant Aldermen*, South Ward, 1734 to 1744.

N.

Nash, Orville J., (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1837, '38. *Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1839, '40.
Nash, James, (Lumber Merchant.) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1842. *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1843.
Neilson, William, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1784, '85, '86.
Nesbitt, George F., (Stationer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1841, '42, '43.
Nevius, Johannes, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1655.
Nevius, Peter J., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1829, '30.
Nexsen, Elias, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1805.
Nichols, Matthias, (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, 1668 to 1771. *Mayor*, 1672.
Nichols, Samuel, (Coppersmith,) *Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1839, '40, 43.
Nichols, Edwin, *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1845, '46.
Nicholson, James, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1787, '88.
Nitchie, John, (Starch Manufacturer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1799, 1800, '01, '12, '13.
Nixon, George, (Coal Dealer,) *Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1835.
Noole, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Mayor*, 1701.

North, Charles C., (Merchant,) *Councilman*, Sixtieth District, 1854.
Noyes, John L., *Councilman*, Fifty-fourth District, 1856, '57.

O.

Oakley, Jacob F., (Liquors,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1849. *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1850, '51, '52, '53.
O'Brien, Timothy, (Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1852, '53.
O'Brien, Hugh, *Councilman*, Thirty-sixth District, 1857.
Odell, Andrew J., *Councilman*, Forty-ninth District, 1856, '57.
O'Donnell, Hugh, *Councilman*, Twelfth District, 1857.
Ogden, Gouverneur M., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1845.
Oliver, James D., *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1843, '45, '46. *Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1847.
Olpherts, Suert, (Mason,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1688, '89.
O'Keefe, John, (Stages,) *Assistant Alderman*, Nineteenth Ward, 1853.
Onclebag, Garrit, (Silversmith,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1700, '01, '13.
O'Neil, Felix, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1839, '40. *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1841.
Oothout, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1802.
O'Reilly, Francis, *Councilman*, Thirty-sixth District, 1856.
Ostrander, Gideon, *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1823. *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1824 to 1827, and 1834.
Ottarson, Franklin J., (Editor,) *Councilman*, Forty-first District, 1857.
Owens, James, (Builder,) *Alderman*, Twenty-first Ward, 1857.

P.

Palmer, John, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1809.
Palmer, James, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1812.
Palmer, James, *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward 1827. *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1828 to 1833.
Palmer, John, *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1832.
Parker, Shivers, (Brush-maker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1818. to 1822. *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1823.
Patterson, Matthew C., (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1837.
Patterson, Samuel P., (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1849.
Pattison, Robert, *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1843.
Paulding, William, jr., (Lawyer,) *Alderman* Fifth Ward, 1822. *Mayor*, 1823, '24, '26, '27.
Paulding, George, (Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1835.
Paxton, John R., (Liquors,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1848.

Pearsall, John, (Fruit Dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1849, '51. *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1852, '53.

Pearson, Thomas, *Councilman*, Fifty-eighth District, 1854.

Peartree, William, (Merchant,) *Mayor*, 1703 to 1706.

Peck, William J., (Lime Dealer,) *Alderman*, Twentieth Ward, 1852, '53.

Peers, Thomas F., (Confectioner,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1840.

Pell, John, (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1810, '11, '12.

Pell, Caleb, (Coppersmith,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1810.

Penny, Edward, jr., (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1840.

Pentz, Daniel C., (Cooper,) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1840.

Peters, John R., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1825, '26. *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1827, '28.

Pettigrew, John, (Contractor,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1842, '43.

Philipse, Frederick, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1719 to 1733.

Phillips, John, (Butcher,) *Councilman*, Twenty-eighth District, 1854.

Phillips, Jonas N., (Merchant,) *Councilman*, Seventeenth District, 1856, '57.

Phœnix, Daniel, *Alderman*, East Ward, 1783, '84.

Phœnix, J. Phillips, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1838, '39.

Pierce, Nathaniel, (Tobacco Inspector,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1845.

Pierson, Joseph, (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1787, '88.

Pinckney, Peter, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1828.

Pinckney, Benjamin F., (Painter,) *Councilman*, Forty-seventh District, 1854, '55, '56.

Pinhorn, William, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1682. *Recorder*, 1691.

Pintard, John, *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1738, '39. *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1740 to 1747.

Pintard, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1789, '90, '91.

Pitman, Lemuel, (Rope-maker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1825. *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1826, '27.

Pluvier, Cornelius, (Baker) *Alderman*, North Ward, 1688, '89.

Pollock, James, (Contractor,) *Assistant Alderman*,) Sixteenth Ward, 1839, '40. *Alderman*, 1841.

Post, Anthony, (Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1792 to 1796. *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1797.

Post, Jotham, (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1794, '95. *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1796 to 1800.

Potter, Ellis, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1837, '38, '39.

Power, Wm., (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1835.

Prentis, Thomas, (Paper-hanger,) *Councilman*, Thirtieth District, 1855.

Prevost, John B., (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1800 to 1803.
Price, Thompson, (Mason,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1732.
Provoost, David, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1697. *Mayor*, 1699. *Alderman*, West Ward. 1700, '01. *Alderman*, North Ward, 1702, '08.
Provoost, Johannes, *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1688, '89.
Provost, William, (Baker,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1808, '09.
Provost, John, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1748, '49. *Alderman*, 1752, '53.
Purdy, Samuel, (Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1834. *Alderman*, 1835, '36.
Purdy, Elijah F., (Grocer,) *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1838 to 1843.
Purdy, Jonathan, (Builder,) *Councilman*, Twenty-seventh District, 1854, '55.
Purser, George H., *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1845. *Alderman*, 1846, '47.

Q.

Quackenbos, John, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1788.
Quackenbos, Mangle M., *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1831. *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1833.
Quackenbush, William, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1845.

R.

Radcliffe, Jacob, (Lawyer,) *Mayor*, 1810, '15, '16, '17.
Radford, William, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1846.
Radley, G. M., *Councilman*, Twenty-first District, 1855.
Randolph, Stuart F., *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1826, '27.
Randall, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1783.
Randall, David, (Lawyer.) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1836, '37.
Ranney, J. W., (Physician.) *Councilman*, Forty-second District, 1855.
Rapelje, Rem, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1763, '64.
Rapelje, Garret, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1763, '64, '65.
Rathbone, William P, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1824. *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1825.
Rawson, Edmund G., (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1841. *Alderman*, 1843.
Raymond, George H., *Councilman*, Thirty-first District, 1854, '56.
Reade, John, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1711, '12, '13.
Reed, Matthew, (Shoe Store,) *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1824, '25.
Reed, Horatio, (Saloon,) *Councilman*, Twenty-fifth District, 1854, '55.
Reed, Ephraim, *Councilman*, Thirty-fifth District, 1856.
Rielly, James, *Councilman*, Sixth District, 1856, '57.
Reilly, Bernard, *Councilman*, Fiftieth District, 1856, '57.
Remmey, John, *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1817.
Reynolds, Nathaniel, *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1822.

Reynolds, John N., *Councilman*, Forty-seventh District, 1857.
Rhinelander, John R., (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1831. *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1832, '1833.
Rhodes, Benjamin J., *Councilman*, Thirty-first District, 1857.
Rich, Josiah, (Merchant.) *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1810.
Rich, Crandall, (Iron Safes.) *Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1845.
Richard, Paulus, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1686, '97.
Richard, Paul, (Merchant,) *Mayor*, 1735, '36, '37, '38.
Ridder, Thomas B., (Tobacco,) *Councilman*, Nineteenth District, 1855.
Riggs, Caleb S., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1802.
Riker, Richard, (Lawyer.) *Recorder*, 1816 to 1829. (Recorder no longer sits with Common Council)
Riker, James, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1832.
Ring, Chas. H., (Druggist,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1852, '53
Ritter, John P., (Dry Goods,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1800. *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1802. *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1803, '06.
Roberts, Nathan, (Inspector Lumber,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thrteenth, Ward, 1845. *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1846.
Robertson, Henry P., (Paint Store,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1831. *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1832, '33.
Robertson, James, *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1846, '47.
Robins, Ezekiel, (Hatter,) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1796.
Robinson, John, *Alderman*, West Ward, 1683, '84, '85.
Rodgers, David. (Merchant.) *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1828.
Rodman, John F., (Foundry,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1852.
Roe, Nathaniel, *Councilman*, Nineteenth District, 1854.
Roehner, John, (Butcher,) *Councilman*, Twenty-fifth District, 1856, '57.
Rogers, John, *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1829, '30.
Rogers, Joseph, (Marble Yard,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1850, '52, '53.
Rombout, Francis, (Merchant.) *Alderman*, 1673. *Schepen*, 1674. *Alderman*, 1676, '77, '78. *Mayor*, 1679. *Alderman*, 1686, '87.
Roome, Peter Willemse, (Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1699, 1700, '01.
Roome, William, (Painter.) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1715 to 1728. *Alderman*, West Ward, 1734 to 1747.
Roos, Garret, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1731, '32, '33, '34.
Roosevelt, Nicholas, (Bolter.) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1700, 1701.
Roosevelt, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1717 to 1729. *Alderman*, East Ward, 1730 to 1733.
Roosevelt, Nicholas, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1748 to 1762. *Alderman*, West Ward, 1763 to 1767.
Roosevelt, Cornelius, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1759 to 1763. *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1764.

Roosevelt, Cornelius C., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1785, '86, '87. *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1795, '96, 1801.

Roosevelt, James, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1809.

Roosevelt, James I., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1828, '29, '30.

Rutgers, Anthony, (Baker,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1710, '11, '12. *Alderman*, North Ward, 1727 to 1734.

Rutgers, Petrus, (Brewer,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1730, '31, '32, 33.

Rutgers, Anthony, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1765, '66.

Ryckman, John, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1714, '21.

Ryer, Dennis, *Councilman*, Fifty-second District, 1856, '57.

Rynders, Barent, *Alderman*, East Ward, 1705, '06.

S.

Sammis, Daniel P., (Shoes,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1850. *Councilman*, Thirty-fourth District, 1854.

Sands, Robert A., (Druggist,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1849, '50, '51.

Schappert, John, *Councilman*, Forty-eighth District, 1857.

Scheiffelin, Effingham, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1817, '18, '23. *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1825. *Alderman*, 1826, '27.

Scheiffelin, Richard L., (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1844.

Schenck, Peter M., (Grocer,) *Councilman*, Tenth District, 1854, '55.

Schmelzel, John B., *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1836.

Schultz, Alexander H., *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1847, '48. *Alderman*, 1849.

Schuyler, Brandt, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1691 to 1699.

Schuyler, Brandt, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1745 to 1751.

Schuyler, Philip, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1719, '20, '21, '22.

Schuyler, Garret L., (Merchant,) *Councilman*, Thirtieth District, 1854.

Scoles, John B., (*Lawyer*,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1842, *Alderman*, 1843.

Scott, John Morine, *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1757 to 1762.

Scott, William, (Lumber Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1829, '30. *Alderman*, 1831.

Scott, J. W., (Physician,) *Councilman*, Forty-first District, 1855.

Seaman, David, (Butcher), *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1822.

Seaman, William, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1827, '28. *Alderman*, 1829, '30.

Seaman, John M., (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1841.

Seaman, William C., *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1843. *Alderman*, 1844, '45.



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erected in 1758.

Seo, Henry P., (Tailor,) *Councilman*, Twenty-first District, 1854, '55.
Seymour, Thaddeus, (Hardware,) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1823.
Seymour, Jonathan, (Paper store,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1828, '29, '30.
Seely, John G , (Liquors,) *Councilman*, Fifteenth District, 1854, '55
Shaler, William, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1841.
Sharpe, Peter, *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1831, '32, '33.
Shaw, Henry, *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1850, '51.
Shepherd, John, jr., (Boat Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1826, '27.
Sherman, Alpheus, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1823.
Shute, Henry, (Shop keeper.) *Assistant Alderman*, 1783.
Shute, Jacob, *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1804, '05.
Sibell, John F., *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1827.
Sickels, Jesse S., *Councilman*, Twenty-seventh District, 1857.
Skaats, Isaac B., *Councilman*, Twenty-ninth District, 1856.
Sleven, Henry S., (Physician,) *Councilman*, Thirty-eighth District, 1854, '55.
Slidell, John, (Soap manuf.) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1807, '08.
Small, Wilson, (Founder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1848.
Smith, William, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, West Ward, 1702, '07 to 1712.
Smith, Thomas R , (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1812. *Alderman*, 1813 to 1817.
Smith, Edmund, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1827.
Smith, George E., *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1831. *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1832.
Smith, Henry, (Agent,) *Councilman*, First District, 1854, 55, '56, '57.
Smith, John Augustus, (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1833.
Smith, Morgan L., (Leather dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1833. *Alderman*, 1835.
Smith, Alfred A , (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1836.
Smith, Robert, (Stone yard,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1834. *Alderman*, 1837, '38, '39.
Smith, Richard J., (Teacher,) *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1837.
Smith, Elias L., (Hardware,) *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1840.
Smith, Charles W , (Tailor,) *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1842.
Smith, Isaac B., *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1843, '46.
Smith, James, *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1844.
Smith, Bartlett, *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1846.
Smith, Washington, *Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1847, '48.
Smith, Ezra, (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1849. *Alderman*, 1850, '51.
Smith, Wesley, (Timber yard,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1850, '51. *Alderman*, 1852, '53.

Smith, William H., (Carpenter,) *Councilman*, Forty-third District, 1854.

Smith, Jacob L., *Councilman*, Second District, 1856.

Smith, Michael, *Councilman*, Thirty-eighth District, 1856, '57.

Snawsell, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1677

Snedecor, Philip, (Shoes,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1837.

Spader, John D., (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1839, '40.

Sparks, Samuel, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1834, '38.

Spofford, Thomas, *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1844, '45, '46. *Alderman*, 1847.

Spratt, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1688, '89.

Steenwyck, Cornelius, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1658, '60. *Burgomaster*, 1662, '64, '65. *Alderman*, 1666. *Mayor*, 1688.

Steers, James R., (Shipwright,) *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1855, '56, '57.

Stevens, Ebenezer, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1802.

Stevens, Samuel, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1817, '18, '20. *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1826, '27. *Alderman*, 1828, '29, '30, '41.

Stevens, Linus W., *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1847. *Alderman*, 1848.

Stewart, Alexander, (Sashmaker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1834, '35, '53.

Stewart, John, (Paint store,) *Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1842.

St. John, Samuel, *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1822, '23, '24.

Stilwell, Silas M., (Shoe store,) Fifteenth Ward, 1834, '35.

Stone, William, *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1816, '17.

Stoneall, James C., (Hotel,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1845, '46.

Storm, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1796, '97, '98.

Storms, Henry, *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1826, '27.

Stoutenburgh, Peter, (Schoolmaster,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1735, '36.

Stoutenburgh, Isaac, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1740 to 1747.

Stoutenburgh, Isaac, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, West Ward, 1789 to 1794.

Striker, Jacob, (Tailor,) *Schepen*, 1655, '56, '58, '60, '63.

Striker, James, *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1803.

Strong, Selah, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1799, 1800, 1801. *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1806.

Strong, Roger, (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1806.

Strong, George D., (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1828. *Alderman*, 1829, '30, '31.

Sturtevant, Oscar W., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1849, '50. *Alderman*, 1851, '52, '53.

Stuyvesant, Nicholas William, *Alderman*, 1684. *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1691.

Stuyvesant, Gerardus. *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1722 to 1753.

Stymets, Frederick, (Baker,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1792 to 1795.

Stymets, Christopher, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1763.

Suerts, Olphert, (Mason, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward 1704, '05, '07.

Sutton, George, (Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1832, '33.

Sutton, Nathan A., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1848.

Suydam, Lambert, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1831.

Swan, Otis D., (Lawyer,) *Councilman*, Fortieth District, 1855, '56.

Swartwout, Robert, *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1826, '48.

T.

Tait John J., (Saddler,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1852, '53.

Tallmadge, Frederick A , (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1834. *Alderman*, 1836.

Tallmage, Thomas G., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1838, '39.

Tallman, John H., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1815, '16.

Tallman, Hermanus, (Hatter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1819, '20

Talman, George F., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1836

Tappen, Abraham, (Painter.) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1837.

Tappen, Thomas B , *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1844. *Alderman*, 1845, '46, '47.

Taylor, Jacob B., *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1817. *Alderman*, 1818 to 1825.

Taylor, Edward, (Merchant.) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1834 to 1838

Taylor, Joseph R , (Hardware.) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1836, '37. *Alderman*, 1838

Taylor, William, *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward. 1844.

Teller, Oliver, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1715 to 1729.

Ten Eyck, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1688, '89.

Ten Eyck, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1784, '85, '86.

Ten Eyck, Philip, (Bookseller,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1799, 1800, '01.

Taylor, William, (Liquors,) *Councilman*, Twenth-eighth District, 1855.

Taylor, William H., *Councilman*, Fifty-fifth District, 1856.
Thodey, Michael, *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1756, '66.
Thong, Walter, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1707 to 1711.
Thorn, William, *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1821, '22, '23.
Thorp, George B., (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1816. *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1817 to 1826.
Tiemann, Daniel F., (Manf. Paints,) *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1838. *Alderman*, 1839. *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1851. *Alderman*, 1852, '53.
Tiebout, Johannes, (Turner,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1699. *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1709.
Tillou, Francis R., (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1843.
Timpson, Cornelius B., (Hardware,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1838. *Alderman*, 1841.
Timpson, Thomas, *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1809.
Titus, Michael M., (Lumber Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1810, '11.
Titus, Peter S., *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1832.
Tonneman, Peter, *Schout*, 1661, '63, '64.
Tooker, Samuel, (Grocer,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1820.
Towle, Jeremiah, (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1832.
Town, Charles, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1820, '21.
Townsend, Thomas S., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1820, '21.
Townsend, Benjamin, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1835.
Torbert, Samuel, (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1805 to 1808.
Torrey, William, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1809, '10.
Trotter, Jonathan, (India Rubber Manufacturer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1852, '53.
Trowbridge, George A., (Provisions,) *Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1854, '55.
Truslow, William, (Coal,) *Councilman*, Forty-ninth District, 1855.
Tucker, Gideon, *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1813, '14, '15.
Tucker, Joseph, (Mason,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1831, '34.
Tucker, John C., (Mason,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1836.
Tucker, William, (Mason,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1844, '45, '54, '55, '56, '57.
Tucker, Moses, *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1844.
Tucker, Cummings H., *Alderman*, Twentieth Ward, 1854, '55.
Tudor, John, (Merchant,) *Recorder*, 1704 to 1707.
Turneire, Thomas, (Farmer,) *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1696.
Tuthill, Jeremiah, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1696. *Alderman*, East Ward, 1703, '04.
Tuttle, Charles, (Merchant,) *Councilman*, Fourteenth District, 1854.

Tweed, William M., (Chair-maker,) *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1852, '53.

Tylee, Daniel E., *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1815.

U.

Underhill, Anthony L., *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1814, '15, '16. *Alderman*, 1817, '18.

Underwood, John A., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1840, '41. *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1842.

V.

Valentine, Abraham, (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1820, '21.

Valentine, Abraham M., (Accountant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1825, '26. *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1827.

Valentine, Jacob H., (Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1852. *Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1856, 57.

Van Antwerp, Simon, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1804, '05, '07.

Van Amringe, William F., *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1817. *Alderman*, 1818.

Van Borsom, Egbert, (Cooper,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1728, '29, '30.

Van Brugh, Johannes Pietersen, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1655, '56, '59, '61, '62, '65. *Alderman*, 1665, '71, '72. *Burgomaster*, 1674. *Alderman*, 1679, '81, '82. *Assistant Alderman*, 1685. *Alderman*, 1686.

Van Cliff, Direk, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1687.

Van Cortland, Oloff Stevenson, (Brewer,) *Burgomaster*, 1655 to 1665. *Alderman*, 1666, '67, '71.

Van Cortland, Stephanus, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1674. *Alderman*, 1675, '76. *Mayor*, 1677, '86, '87.

Van Cortland, Johannes, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1686.

Van Cortland, Jacobus, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1686. *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1694 to 1703. *Mayor*, 1710, '19.

Van Cortland, Philip, *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1714, '15, '16. *Alderman*, 1717 to 1729.

Van Cott, Thomas G., (Clerk,) *Councilman*, Twenty-ninth District, 1855.

Van Couenhoven, Pieter Wolfersen, (Brewer,) *Schepen*, 1653, '54, '58, '59, '61, '63.

Van Couwenhoven, Johannes, (Brewer,) *Alderman*, Out Ward, 1668, '89.

Van Dam, Rip, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1693, '94, '95.

Vanderberg, Dirck, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, West Ward, 1704, '05, '06.
Vanderbilt, John, Jr., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1812.
Vanderspiegle, Laurens, (Baker,) *Schepen*, 1673.
Vanderspiegle, John, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1693, '94, '95.
Vandervoort, David, (Builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1839, '40. *Alderman*, 1841, '43.
Vandervin, Hendrick Jansen, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1657, '59.
Vandiegrist, Paulus Leedersen, (Trader,) *Schepen*, 1653, '54. *Burgomaster*, 1657, '58, '61, '64.
Van Dyck, John, (Chocolate Manufacturer,) *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1785, '86, '89, '90.
Van Gelder, Hermanus, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1714. *Alderman*, 1715 to 1733.
Van Gelder, Abraham, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1783 to 1788.
Van Gelder, Abraham, (Lime Inspector.) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1810.
Van Gheel, Maximillianus, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1653.
Van Hattem, Arent, (Trader,) *Burgomaster*, 1653, '54.
Van Horne, John, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1703, '04, '05.
Van Horne, Cornelius, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1849, '50, '51.
Van Horne, Garret, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1757, '58, '59. *Alderman*, 1760.
Van Nest, Abraham, (Hardware Merchant,) *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1833.
Van Nostrand, Jacob, (Blacksmith,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1702.
Van Oblinus, Peter, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1696.
Van Ranst, Peter, *Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1737, '38, '39.
Van Ranst, Luke, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1755 to 1759.
Van Riper, J. W. T., (Cooper,) *Councilman*, Forty-sixth District, 1855, '56.
Van Ruyven, Cornelius, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1665, '70, '72, '73.
Van Santa, Johannes, (Blockmaker,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1707.
Van Schaick, Arent, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1692.
Van Schaick, Myndert, *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1832. *Assistant Alderman*, 1835.
Van Tienhoven, Cornelius, *Schout*, 1653, '54, '55, '56.
Van Tine, Theodorus, (Fur Store,) *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1845, '46.
Van Tine, John, (Eating-house,) *Councilman*, Twenty-sixth District, 1856, '57.
Van Tuyl, Andrew, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1794, '95.
Van Varick, James, *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1768, '69.
Van Vleck, Isaac, (Brewer,) *Alderman*, 1684, '86. *Alderman*, West Ward, 1693, '94.

Van Vurden, Hendrick, *Alderman*, West Ward, 1688, '89.

Van Wagenen, Huybert, *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1768 to 1771.

Van Wagenen, Hubert, (Hardware store,) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1831, '34.

Van Wyck, Theodorus, *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1756. *Alderman*, 1764.

Van Wyck, Pierre C., (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1806, '08, '09, '11, '12. *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1825.

Van Wyck, William, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1831, '32, '33.

Van Zandt, Tobias, (Chocolate Manufacturer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Montgomerie Ward, 1786 to 1793.

Van Zandt, Wynant, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1788. *Alderman*, 1789 to 1794.

Van Zandt, Peter Pra, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1791, '92, '93.

Van Zandt, Wynant, jr., (Merchant.) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1802 to 1806.

Varian, George W., *Councilman*, Fifty-sixth District, 1854. *Alderman*, Twenty-first Ward, 1855, '56.

Varian, Isaac L., *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1833, '34, '35. *Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1836. *Mayor*, 1839, '40.

Varick, Richard, (Lawyer,) *Recorder*, 1783 to 1788. *Mayor*, 1789 to 1800.

Vermilye, William M., (Broker,) *Councilman*, Thirty-ninth District, 1854, '55.

Verplanck, Guleyn, (Merchant,) *Schepen*, 1673, '74. *Alderman*, 1677, '78, '79. *Alderman*, North Ward, 1683.

Verveelen, Henry, *Assistant Alderman*, Sixth Ward, 1800, '01.

Vinje, John, (Brewer,) *Schepen*, 1655, '56, '61, '63.

Voorhis, Peter P., (Stone yard,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1844. *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1854, '55, '56.

Von Glahn, John, *Councilman*, Second District, 1857.

Vredenburgh, William, *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1737, '38, '39.

Vredenburgh, John W., *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1770, '71, '72.

W.

Waddle, William, *Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1783.

Wainwright, Edwin, (Woodware,) *Councilman*, Twentieth District, 1854, '55.

Wakeman, Abram, (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1854, '55.

Waldron, Johannes, *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1831 to 1836.
Waldron William J., (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1811, '12.
Wales, William C., (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1833. *Alderman*, 1834.
Walker, William A., (Lawyer,) *Alderman*, Eighteenth Ward, 1846.
Wallace, James, jr., *Councilman*, Fifty-first District, 1856.
Wallace, James, senior, *Councilman*, Fifty-first District, 1857.
Walsh, James, *Alderman*, Seventeenth Ward, 1846.
Walters, Robert, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1688, '89. *Mayor*, 1720, '21, '22, '23.
Walter, John, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, East Ward, 1735, '36, '37, '38.
Wandell, John C., *Councilman*, Fiftieth District, 1855.
Ward, Jasper, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1807, '08.
Ward, Richard R., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1825. *Alderman*, 1836.
Ward, Daniel, (Coffee roaster,) *Assistant Alderman*, Tenth Ward, 1840 to 1843.
Ward, Uzal P., (Baker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1844.
Ward, Sylvester L. H., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward, 1850, '51. *Alderman*, 1852, '53.
Warner, George J., (Watchmaker,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1804.
Warner, Effingham, *Assistant Alderman*, Fifteenth Ward 1833.
Warner, George W., *Councilman*, Fourteenth District, 1856, '57.
Waterbury, Nehemiah, *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1836, '37, '38.
Waterman, William D., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1841, '42. *Alderman*, 1843.
Watkins, Joseph, (Lumber merchant,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1809.
Watrous, Charles C., *Councilman*, Forty-fifth District, 1856.
Watts, John, jr., *Recorder*, 1774.
Waugh, James L., *Councilman*, Eighth District, 1856, '57.
Webb, John, *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1822. *Alderman*, 1824.
Webb, Charles, *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1846, '48. *Alderman*, 1849.
Webb, John B., (Boat builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1849, '50, '51.
Webb, James, (Mason,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1851.
Webber, Wolfert, (Innkeeper,) *Assistant Alderman*, 1685. *Assistant Alderman*, Out Ward, 1688, '89, 1706, '07.
Webber, John, (Lawyer,) *Councilman*, Fifty-fourth District, 1855.
Welling, William, (Inspector,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1810.
Wells, James N., (Carpenter,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1828. *Alderman*, 1829, '30.

Wells, Helmes M., (Lumber merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward. 1852, '53.

Wendell, Abraham, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1710, *Alderman*, 1711 to 1716.

Wendover, John, *Assistant Alderman*, West Ward, 1692, '96, '97.

Wendover, Peter H., (Sailmaker.) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1801. *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1811, '12, '13.

Wenham, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, South Ward, 1698.

Wessells, Wessel, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1735.

West, Jesse, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1839.

West, Edward D., (Turpentine,) *Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1842.

Westervelt, John J., *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1818, '19.

Westervelt, Jacob, *Assistant Alderman*, Ninth Ward, 1836, '37.

Westervelt, Jacob A., (Ship builder,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1840. *Mayor*, 1853, '54.

Westervelt, Harman C., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, First Ward, 1842.

Westervelt, John J. V., *Assistant Alderman*, Sixteenth Ward, 1844, '45.

Wheelan, Thomas, (Liquors,) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1852, '53.

Wheeler, Ira B., (Dry goods,) *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1836.

White, Thomas H., (Butcher,) *Assistant Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1834.

White, Campbell P., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Third Ward, 1825, '26.

Whitefield, Ralph, *Alderman*, 1668, '69.

Whitehead, Isaac P., (Grate maker,) *Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1836, '37.

Whiting, James R., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1831. *Alderman*, 1832. *Assistant Alderman*, 1835.

Whitlock, Charles, *Councilman*, Twenty-seventh District, 1856.

Wild, Horatio N., (Confectioner,) *Councilman*, Seventeenth District, 1854, '55.

Will, Henry, (Pewterer,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1785.

Willett, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Mayor*, 1665 *Alderman*, 1666, *Mayor*, 1667.

Willett, Richard, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Dock Ward, 1706, '07, '08.

Willett, Marinus, *Mayor*, 1807.

Williams, Elam, (Cabinet-maker,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1822.

Williams, Abraham V., (Physician,) *Assistant Alderman*, Twelfth Ward, 1836, '37. *Alderman*, 1838, '39.

Williams, Richard S., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1841.

Williams, David T., (Coal dealer.) *Assistant Alderman*, Fourth Ward, 1842, '43. *Alderman*, 1844.

Williams, Jabez, (Ship builder.) *Alderman*, Eleventh Ward, 1844.

Williamson, Amor J., (Publisher,) *Alderman*, Second Ward, 1854, '55. Tax Commissioner, 1856, '57, '58.

Willis, Samuel J., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1838, '39.

Wilson, Ebenezer, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1690 to 1694. *Mayor*, 1707, '08, '09.

Wilson, George, *Assistant Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1811.

Wilson, Samuel, (Merchant,) *Alderman*, 1679, '80, '82. *Assistant Alderman*, 1684, '86.

Wilson, William, *Alderman*, First Ward, 1857.

Winsbip, Thomas, (Butcher,) *Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1844.

Wood, Thurston, (Auctioneer,) *Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1805 to 1808.

Wood, William L., (Grocer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1840.

Wood, James E., (Coal dealer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Third Ward, 1848. *Alderman*, 1849, '50, '51.

Wood, Fernando, *Mayor*, 1855, '56, '57, '58.

Woodhull, Caleb S., (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1836, '37, '38. *Alderman*, 1839 to 1843. *Mayor*, 1849, '50.

Woodruff, Thomas T., *Assistant Alderman*, Eighth Ward, 1823, '26. *Alderman*, Fourteenth Ward, 1827 to 1832.

Woodward, Thomas, (Merchant,) *Assistant Alderman*, Seventh Ward, 1852, '53. *Alderman*, 1854.

Wool, Jeremiah, (Currier,) *Assistant Alderman*, North Ward, 1783. *Alderman*, South Ward, 1784 to 1791.

Wrandle, Thomas, *Assistant Alderman*, South Ward, 1760 to 1764.

Wright, William H., (Shipsmith,) *Assistant Alderman*, Thirteenth Ward, 1852.

Wyckoff, Henry J., (Merchant,) *Alderman*, First Ward, 1821 to 1825.

Wyckoff, Jacob, (Lawyer,) *Assistant Alderman*, Second Ward, 1827.

Wylley, John, *Alderman*, North Ward, 1787 to 1791.

Y.

Young, John, (Ironmorger,) *Assistant Alderman*, East Ward, 1786.

Young, William, (Physician,) *Councilman*, Fourth District, 1854.

Z.

Zabriskie, George, *Alderman*, Fifth Ward, 1822, '23.

RECORDERS

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

James Graham, from 1683 to 1688.
Vacant in 1689 to 1690.
William Pinhorn, from 1691 to 1693.
James Graham, from 1693 to 1701.
Abraham Gouverneur, from 1701 to 1703.
Sampson Shelton Boughton, from 1703 to 1705.
John Tudor, from 1705 to 1709.
May Bickley, from 1709 to 1712.
David Jamison, from 1712 to 1725.
Francis Harrison, from 1725 to 1735.
Daniel Horsemanden, from 1735 to 1737.
Simeon Johnson, from 1737 to 1769.
Thomas Jones, from 1769 to 1773.
Robert R. Livingston, from 1773 to 1774.
John Watts, jr., 1774.
No records during the Revolutionary War.
Richard Varick, from 1783 to 1789.
Samuel Jones, from 1789 to 1796.
James Keat, from 1796 to 1798.
Richard Harrison, from 1798 to 1800.
John P. Provost, from 1800 to 1804.
Maturin Livingston, from 1804 to 1806.
Pierre C. Van Wyck, from 1806 to 1807.
Maturin Livingston, from 1807 to 1808.
Pierre C. Van Wyck, from 1808 to 1810.
Josiah Ogden Hoffman, from 1810 to 1811.
Pierre C. Van Wyck, from 1811 to 1813.
Josiah Ogden Hoffman, from 1813 to 1815.
Richard Riker, from 1815 to 1819.
Peter A. Jay, from 1819 to 1820.
Richard Riker, from 1821 to 1823.
Samuel Jones, from 1823 to 1824.
Richard Riker, from 1824 to 1838.
Robert H. Morris, from 1838 to 1841.
Frederick A. Tallmadge, from 1841 to 1846.
John B. Scott, from 1846 to 1849.
Frederick A. Tallmadge, from 1849 to 1852.
Francis R. Tillou, from 1852 to 1855.
James M. Smith, jr., from 1855 to 1858.

SHERIFFS

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

[Prepared from the Records in the Office of the Secretary of State.]

Jan Lampo, from 1626 to 1632.
Conrad Notelman, from 1632 to 1633.
Lubbertus Van Dincklagen, from 1633 to 1636.
Ulrich Lupold, from 1636 to 1639.
Cornelius Van der Huygens, from 1639 to 1645.
Hendrick Van Dyck, from 1645 to 1652.
Cornelius Van Tienhoven, from 1652 to 1656.
Nicasius De Sille, from 1656 to 1660.
Pieter Tonneman, from 1660 to 1665.*
Allard Anthony, from 1665 to 1667.
John Manning, from 1667 to 1672.
Allard Anthony, from 1672 to 1673.
Anthony Demilt, from 1673 to 1674.
William Knyff, from Aug. 1674, to Nov. 1674.
Thomas Gibbs, from Nov. 1674, to Oct. 1675.
John Sharp, from 1675 to 1676.
Thomas Ashton, from 1676, to April, 1679.†
John Archer, from 1679 to 1680.
John Collier, from 1680 to 1683.
John Tudor, from 1683 to 1685.
John Knight, from 1685 to 1687.
Robert Hamond, from 1687 to 1689.
Johannes Jansen, from 1689 to 1691.
Abraham Brasher, from Jan. 1691, to March, 1691.
Thomas Lyndal, from March, 1691, to Oct. 1691.
Thomas Codrington, from Oct. 1691 to 1692.
Stanley Handcock, from 1692 to 1698.
Ebenezer Wilson, from Sept. 1695 to 1699.‡
Isaac Dereymer, from Sept. 1698 to 1699.
Charles Oliver, from 1699 to 1700.
Peter De Milt, from 1700 to 1701.
Isaac Dereymer, from 1701 to June, 1702.
Ebenezer Wilson, from June, 1702 to Oct., 1708.
William Anderson, from 1708 to July, 1710.§
Francis Harrison, from July, 1710, to 1717.
Thomas Farmar, from 1717 to 1723.
William Dugdale, from Feb., 1723, to 1728.
Henry Beekman, from 1728 to 1731.
John Symes, from 1734 to 1735.
William Crosby, from 1735 to 1740.

* The first Sheriff exclusively for the city. † Resigned in April, 1679.
‡ Suspended. Mr. Clark, Coroner, acted as Sheriff during the vacancy.
§ Dismissed, July, 1710.

William Jameson, from 1740 to 1745.
John Ayscough, from 1746 to 1752.
John Roberts, from 1753 to 1775.

The city of New York having been in possession of the British, and under Martial Law during the years from 1776 to 1783, no Sheriffs were appointed.

Marinus Willett, from February, 1784 to 1787.
Robert Boyd, from 1787 to 1791.
Marinus Willett, from 1791 to 1795.
John Jacob Lansing, from 1795 to 1799.
James Morris, from 1799 to 1801.
John Stagg, from 1801 to 1803.
Joseph Constant, from 1803 to 1807.
William Cutting, from 1807 to 1808.
Benjamin Ferris, from 1808 to 1810.
Edward Dunscomb, from 1810 to 1811.
Benjamin Ferris, from 1811 to 1813.
Thomas R. Mercein, from 6th to 16th March, 1813.
Simon Fleet, from 1813 to 1815.
Ruggles Hubbard, from 1815 to 1818.
James L. Bell, from 1818 to 1821.
Mordecai M. Noah, from 1821 to 1822.
Peter H. Wendover, from 1822 to 1826.
Oliver M. Lownds, from 1826 to 1829.
James Shaw, from January, 1829 to 1831.
Jacob Westervelt, from 1831 to 1834.
John Hillier, from January, 1834 to 1837.
Jacob Acker, from January, 1837 to 1840.
Monmouth B. Hart, from January, 1840 to 1843.
William Jones, from January, 1843 to 1846.
John J. V. Westervelt, from January, 1846 to 1849.
Thomas Carnley, from January, 1849 to 1852.
John Orser, from January, 1852 to 1855.
James C. Willett, from January, 1856 to 1859.

COUNSELS TO THE CORPORATION.

D. S. Jones, from 1813 to 1816.
Ogden Edwards, from 1816 to 1823.
Michael Ulshoeffer, from 1023 to 1829.
Robert Emmett, from 1829 to 1837.
George F. Tallman, from 1837 to 1839.
Peter A. Cowdrey, from 1838 to 1842, and 1843 to 1844.
David Graham, jr., appointed May 31, 1842, to May 9, 1843.
John Leveridge, from 1844 to 1845.
James T. Brady, from 1845 to 1847.
Willis Hall, from May 12, 1847 to 1849.
Henry E. Davies, appointed May 13, 1849; elected, Fall of 1849, for three years, to 1852.
Robert J. Dillon, from January 1, 1853, to January 1, 1856.
Lorenzo B. Shepard, from January 1, 1856, to September, 1856.
Richard Busteed, appointed September, 1856, until January 1, 1857; elected fall of 1856, to serve for three years, to 1860.

CITY JUDGES.

Welcome R. Beebe, from January 1, 1851 to January 1, 1855.
Sidney H. Stuart, from January 1, 1855, to January, 1856.
Elisha S. Capron, from January 1, 1855, to January 1, 1857.
Abm. D. Russell, from January 1, 1857, to January 1, 1861.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The Island.

The island on which this city is established, besides its eminent advantage of position for the purposes of commerce and marine power and convenience, when regarded in connection with its surrounding scenery, forms a prominent part of a picture of nature, in magnificence rarely excelled.

On the south and east, it is protected from the ocean by islands of surpassing beauty; on the west, beyond the Hudson, are the shores and lands of New Jersey, portions of which are justly the themes of admiration to the votaries of the grand and romantic; on the north, beyond the Harlem, are the green hills and woods and valleys of Westchester, and beyond, an extensive country, rich and inviting to the lovers of nature.

The city is, indeed, a Queen City, of magnitude and power, surrounded on all sides by bright and deep waters, where may ride at ease and safety all the navies of the world. A broad estuary on the east; a bay of immense size on the south; the Hudson river (renowned for its capacity and trade, as well as extraordinary loveliness and greatness of scenery, from its mouth to its source) on the west. Connected by easy and safe channels with the sea, and by river and inland navigation, with the south, the east, and the far, far west; by railroads in every direction, with all parts of the union. On every side, with many cities and villages which derive their strength, nutriment and vitality from this mighty heart, in wonderful prosperity she now appears, as one of the great cities of the world.

Discovered.

1609.—It was in the year 1609, in the month of September, that a crew of five men, from Hendrick Hudson's vessel, then within Sandy Hook, passed the Narrows in a small boat, and discovered the island. It was then in possession of the tribe of Indians known as the Manhattoes, from whom its original name, "Manhattan," is derived.

Purchased.

1626.—In the year 1626, it was purchased by the Dutch, from the Indians, for twenty-four dollars. The contents of the island then being estimated at 22,000 acres. Until its purchase, it was a mere trading post, containing only four houses, in the year 1613.

Thereafter, until this time, it has experienced a succession of mutations and events, from year to year, advancing and increasing in population, wealth, power and prosperity, until now, it has reached its extraordinary extent in importance.

First Charter.

1629.—In the year 1629, the province of New York received its first charter—being a grant of privileges to the colonists. Peter Minuit was appointed its first director. In 1632, he was succeeded by Wouter Van Twiller. The name then given to the island was New Amsterdam.

Dutch Houses.

The houses first erected were usually one story high, with roofs of straw and chimneys of wood. These were succeeded by those of brick and tile—the gable end usually to the street; apparently, by a succession of steps from the line, where the roofs commenced, the wall on the street, from each side, tapering to the top, at the centre, in a point, where often was a weathercock. And frequently on the street front, in iron figures, was designated the year in which the house was built. The street door was divided crosswise in the middle, the upper half having a large brass or iron knocker on it. A porch, or "stoop," was at the front, on which the street door opened; and on each side was a bench, on which, in pleasant weather, some of the family were wont to sit and pass their leisure hours, often in company with a friend or neighbor. An alley on one side made a passageway to the rear part of the building, where was the family kitchen and huge fire-place, and where the best comforts of the inhabitants of those days seemed largely to abide.

The first well was dug in Broadway in 1652. The first schoolmaster arrived in 1633. The first English settlers came in 1635. The first lawyer commenced practice in 1650. The first City Hall was built in 1653, at the head of Coenties slip; the second in the year 1699, at the head of Broad street, on the site of the original Custom-house.

First Municipal Government.

1653.—In the year 1653, the first form of municipal government was granted. Burgomasters and Schepens were appointed. Wall street was then the boundary of the city. Palisades were erected on it in apprehension of an invasion from the English. These palisades were removed in 1699. Then the slaughter-houses were established at the foot of Wall street, in Pearl street. The wharves were on Water, and, in some cases, on Pearl street Coffee-house slip came quite near Pearl street; as did also Coenties slip. The creek up Broad street was quite to Garden, now Hanover street, at the corner of which was the ferry-house, a Dutch building. The houses were built on the sides, fronting on the creek, most on the west side, where was Flatten Barak Hill—the yards opening in the run on George street, or Broadway. The hills on Broadway fell off toward the north run, to the shore.

First Pavements.

1658.—In 1658, the streets were first paved. They were paved with cobble stones, the gutter curb of wood. The sidewalk was paved with brick. The first watch, consisting of eight rattle-men, were appointed. A market house at the Bowling Green was erected. The average price of lots was fifty dollars. House rent was fourteen dollars per annum. At fires, buckets and ladders were then first used.

Grant to Duke of York.

1664.—In the year 1664, the city was captured by the British; and in that same year, the well known charter of Charles II. to his brother, the

Duke of York—including the island and province of New Amsterdam—was made. In 1763, the city was retaken by the Dutch; and in 1764, was ceded by them to the English, who called the city and province New York.

After the cession, most of the previous inhabitants remained; and thus the Dutch, as well as the English, become the ancestors of many of the present families of the city. And connected with the Dutch people were large numbers of the Huguenots of France, who, to avoid the persecutions to which they were subjected, fled from their native country—some direct, and others to Holland—and thence, with the Hollanders, to the island and province of New York. Among these Huguenots, were the families of—

1. Jay,
2. Minugh,
3. Dubois,
4. Chadevoique.
5. Cutting,
6. Pelletreau,
7. Boudinot,
8. Latourette,
9. Mesier,
10. Giraud,
11. Destropes,
12. Jedine,
13. Bedient,
14. De la Montagne,
15. Angevine,
16. Bedoine,
17. Tillou,
18. Segoine,
19. Prevost,
20. Mereein,
21. De Milt.
22. Maynard,
23. Giraud,
24. Collier,
25. John Pintard,
26. Lispenard,
27. Le Roux,
28. Le Roy,
29. Guion,
30. Larue,
31. Gotier,
32. De Peyster,
33. Delaval,
34. De Kay.
35. Delamater,
36. Bodine,
37. Meserole,
38. Derve.

The buildings thereafter erected were in English style—some of them sumptuous. Of these, the Walton House, in Pearl street, is one of the few memorials that are left.

In the year 1863 the Dongan charter, and in 1730 the Montgomerie charter, were granted to the city. In 1732, by act of the assembly, and after the revolution, by various successive acts of the legislature, the charter was amended until it reached its present form.

In 1656, the population of the city was 1,000; in 1664, 1,500; in 1673, 2,500; in 1690, 4,302; in 1731, 8,628; in 1771, 21,163; in 1773, 21,876; in 1786, 23,614; in 1770, 33,131; in 1800, 60,489.

In 1683, the city consisted of 6; in 1806, 10; and now it consists of 22 wards.

FIFTY YEARS AGO.

1806.—In 1806 the city contained 80,000 inhabitants. It was divided into ten wards. Harlem was recognized as a town; Greenwich was a separate village, beyond Lispenard meadows, to which the inhabitants, in times of yellow fever and in summer, resided. Judge Benson, Mr. Brinckerhoff, Mr. Hone, Mr. Kane, Dr. Jones, Mr. Bayard, Peter H. Wendover, Baily and Bogart, David Gelston, Mr. Driffie, Harman Hendricks, Albert Ogden, were among those who, in summer, resided at or in the vicinity of Greenwich. The State Prison was then there located. It had a military guard, commanded by Captain Seaman. Near it was the

farm of Mr. Amos, and Williamson's orchard and nursery, where the sportsmen resorted, to kill meadow larks. The burial-ground, now at the head of Varick street, was then established ; there were there interred the remains of Hodgkinson and the two Miss Bretts, celebrated performers at the Park Theatre. Tyler, another of the Park Theatre company, kept a tavern, at where is now the corner of Spring and Hudson. Richmond Hill, Colonel Burr's place, at what is now Charlton street, was then as he left it, covered with cedar woods, and was between Lispenard meadows land Greenwich, and not far below it ; near to the meadows was Borrowson's tavern.

The closely populated limits of the city, on Broadway, extended to the Hospital, above Duane street, (then called Barley street,) on Greenwich street and North Moore street, and there were some scattering houses above it. On the east, they extended a short distance beyond Catharine street ; on the Bowery, as far as where now is Bond street.

The City Hospital was on the suburbs. The Collect and Lispenard meadows were much overflowed with water, particularly in winter. The low marshy lands of the latter extended down Chapel street, quite to Thomas street. In winter, these meadows were the great skating pond for those who liked the amusement, and thousands of persons were usually, in that season, upon them.

Both the Collect and these meadows were then undergoing the operation of grading and filling. Broadway had recently been lavered, or graded, above and below Canal street, to the place where the latter crosses the former. At this point there was a stone bridge over the brook, which flowed from the Collect to the meadows. Spring street was marked out, and a line of houses built in certain parts of it. The well, near it, in which Miss Sands was found murdered, was then an object of general curiosity. The history of the trial of Levi Weeks, on the charge of being her murderer, and the circumstances of the affair, have left a deep interest in the case, which yet abides. Potter's Field was where now is Washington square. Originally, Potter's Field was on the Old road, between the middle and Bloomingdale, near where was the United States Arsenal ; the latter was at the junction of those roads. The passage to Greenwich, from Broadway, was through Art street, and along side of Potter's Field, to Rye Miller's Field, on Greenwich lane, where then was the usual parade ground out of town, and a part of Greenwich. It is now where is the Sixth avenue, at its commencement.

The roads then to the city were the Boston, or Old road, or Boston road, which commenced at the Bloomingdale road, at where now is Madison square ; and thence ran, eastward, along the Rose Hill Farm, and through various windings and turns, to Harlem. The middle road, which by a direct route, commencing on the Old road opposite, or nearly opposite, the entrance to the Rose Hill Farm, went direct to Harlem. The King's Bridge, or Bloomingdale road, which, by the way of McGowan's Pass and Manhattanville, went to King's Bridge, and thence was continued toward

Albany, and the Fitzroy and Southampton roads, which, after various windings, ended in the Bloomingdale road. Love lane, now Twenty-first street, ran from the Bloomingdale road to the North river.

The Ferries.

Then there were two ferries to Brooklyn; one from Fly Market slip, now the foot of Maiden lane, and one from Catharine slip; also, there was a ferry to Paulus Hook, now Jersey City. These ferries were by row boats, barges and lighters: those to Paulus Hook were constructed and rigged like pilot boats, except that they had open decks. There was, besides, a ferry to Staten Island, and one to Elizabethtown Point, both from Whitehall slip, by vessels like those last mentioned.

Stages.

The stages from the city were one to and from Greenwich, one to and from Harlem, and one to and from Manhattanville. The Greenwich stage stopped at Baker's Tavern, in Wall street, at the corner of New street; the two others ran to and from the Bowery, in the vicinity of the Bulls, about opposite to where is now the Bowery Theatre. It was the Greenwich stages that, in after times, were constructed with the door behind—the origin of "The Omnibus."

Markets.

The markets were the Exchange market, at the foot of Broad street; the Bear market, at the foot of Vesey street; and on Greenwich street, between Vesey and Fulton (then Fair) streets; the Oswego market, on Maiden lane, with its head on Broadway; and the Fly market and Catharine market. The former consisting of three market houses on Maiden lane, below and from Pearl street to the slip; and the latter, of two market houses, at the foot of Catharine street.

Ship Yards.

The ship yards were between Corlaer's Hook and what is now Stanton street, and between Corlaer's Hook and Catharine street. Above Corlaer's Hook and below Stanton street, was what was then called Manhattan Island; ship yards were there. Adam and Noah Brown had there a large ship-house. They and Christian Bergh were then eminent ship builders. Stuyvesant's meadows then embraced a large area of marshy low land, on the east side of the city, much covered with water. Considerable population was on Harman street, now East Broadway; Henry street, George, now Market street; Banker, now Madison street, and Rutgers street. Near the latter was the country site of Colonel Rutgers.

Residences.

Andrew Morris' country residence was on the Bowery, nearly opposite to what is now Bond street. Mr. Glover's residence was where is now Laurens street, between Prince and Houston streets, and Mr. Min-

thorne's was in the vicinity of the corner of Bowery and Third street. Leonard Lispenard's was where now is Laight street, north of St. John's Park.

There was then one watch house, at the corner of Broad and Wall streets.

The house at the foot of Broadway, which was once the residence of the Colonial Governors, was then used as the Custom-house. The county jail was in the Park. The present Hall of Records is the same building, changed in form, altered, and made to its present condition. The Bridewell was in the Park, on the west of the site of the present City Hall. It was kept by Thomas Hazard. The present City Hall was then in progress of erection. The Alms-house was on the north side of the Park, and fronted on Chambers street. This building was, in after years, appropriated to the use of the courts and public offices; it was burnt in 1854.

The State Arsenal.

The State Arsenal was on Chatham street, where Centre street now enters it, and near the Janeway property. There was an arsenal yard and buildings back of the Governor's house, near the Battery, and there also were kept a number of the State cannon and caissons, and a quantity of iron ball. The wooden forts on the Battery had, in the hard winter of 1804, been removed, to give the materials for fuel to the poor; but the stone building known as the Flagstaff, with the staff, remained. Captain McLean was then State Commissary. The United States Arsenal was at the junction of the Old road and Middle road, where was afterward the first location of the House of Refuge, and where now is Madison square.

The Churches.

There were, then, the Catholic Church, in Barclay street; the Episcopal churches of Trinity, St. Paul's and St. John's, (the latter just built;) St. George's, in Beekman street; Mr. Pilmore's, in Ann street; the French Church, in Pine street; the Jews' Synagogue, in Mill street, now South William street; the three Dutch Reformed Churches, one in Garden street, one in Nassau street, (now the Post Office,) and the North Church in William street; the church of Doctor Rodgers, in Wall street, and the Brick Church on Beekman street; the Scotch Presbyterian Church, and that of Doctor Romeyn, in Cedar street; the Presbyterian, in Nassau street, where now is the First District Court of the city; the German Lutheran, at the corner of Frankfort and William streets; the Moravian, in Fulton, then Fair street; the Friends' meeting houses, in Liberty, Pearl, and Rose streets; the Methodist churches in John and Duane streets, and the Baptist churches in Gold and Fayette streets, near East Broadway.

Singing, Dancing, and other Schools.

The chief singing school was that of Mr. Sage, in Garden street, opposite the Dutch Church. The chief dancing master was Mr. Hewlett. The chief schoolmasters were Dominie Van Steenburg, at the corner of Temple and Cedar streets, and Mr. Pickett, in Chambers street. Columbia College



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WHITE CONDUIT HOUSE,
in Leonard St between Broadway and Church St. N.Y. 1816
Drawn by J. Evers

was then the only college, and its green and noble trees were regarded as valuable ornaments to the city.

The Theatre.

The only theatre in the city was the Park Theatre. Mr. Dunlap was the manager, and the company consisted of Messrs. Harwood, Hallam, Twaits, Cooper, Darley, Johnson, Hilson; Mesdames Darley, Johnson, Melmoth, Oldmixon, Simpson. The hotels and public houses were—the City Hotel, on Broadway, where the city assemblies were held; the Union Hotel, in William street, on the south side, where Cedar street now passes to Pearl street; Baker's Tavern, in Wall street; King's Tavern, in Wall street, corner of Nassau street; the Bell Tavern, in Sloat lane; the Tontine Coffee-house, then the Exchange; the Bull's Head Tavern, in the Bowery; the two French boarding houses in Broad street—one at the corner of Pearl, and one between Beaver and Garden streets. There was also Martling's Tavern, at the corner of Little George, now Spruce street, where the Tammany Society met.

Banks.

The banks were—the Branch Bank of the United States, the Merchants', and the Manhattan Banks. The insurance companies were—the New York, the Phœnix, the Marine, the Union, the Commercial, and the Mutual. All these banks and companies transacted business in Wall street.

Newspapers.

The newspapers were—the New York Gazette, edited by John Lang; the Mercantile Advertiser, edited by Ramsay Crooks; the American Citizen, edited by James Cheetham; the Evening Post, edited by William Coleman; the Commercial Advertiser, edited by Zachariah Lewis; and the Public Advertiser, edited by Mr. Holt; besides two weekly papers, the Museum and the Weekly Visitor.

Water.

The supply of water was obtained by bored wooden logs being laid underground, by the Manhattan Company, and distributed through them from a reservoir in Chambers street, and by means of pumps and wells, which usually were located in the middle of the streets. But the water most esteemed was that from what was called the Tea Water Pump, which was in Orange, near Chatham street. The water from this pump was of superior quality, and was taken from it into hogsheads on carts, and from them delivered to the inhabitants in various parts of the city, for a specific price.

Street Sweeping.

The streets were swept twice a week by the inhabitants, each opposite his own house; and for the collection of garbage, a bell-cart came round daily in each street. The city was lit by lamps, with oil. Wood was the principal article of fuel, and hickory was deemed the best. The chimnies were swept by small negro boys, whose street cries in the morning, at daybreak, drew forth many a denunciation from those whose slumbers were thus broken into.

Fire Department.

The Fire Department had only one engineer, who was the chief; and there was only a small number of fire companies, engines, and hooks and ladders. The hooks and ladders were, most of them, kept in the passage-ways of the City Hall. Each house and each church was required to have a certain number of fire buckets.

Militia.

The militia consisted of the division then under the command of Major General Stevens. The uniformed corps were under the command of General Morton, and included the regiments commanded by Colonels Curtenus, Loomis and Salters; the Irish Greens, commanded by Colonel McClure, and Colonel Warner's regiment of horse. The ununiformed were the brigades of General Steddiford and General Ward. The usual route of the procession on the Fourth of July, was from the Battery, up Broadway, and Park row to Beekman street, through Beekman street to Pearl, through Pearl to Wall street, up Wall street to Broadway, and thence back to the Battery.

Mr. Bogart.

Mr. Bogart, at the corner of Broadway and Cortlandt street, was the eminent biscuit-maker of the city. This old gentleman was the model of a respectable burgomaster. He usually dressed in small clothes, and woolen stockings; buckles at the knees and in his shoes; body-coat, with large pockets and buttons; a white stock, buckled behind; a plain, neat shirt, with sleeve buttons; his hair powdered; a long queue, and a broad brimmed beaver hat. Thus attired in great neatness, each fair afternoon, on business days, after his work was over, was he seen sitting on the bench of his front porch or stoop, with a long pipe in his mouth, quietly smoking and complacently regarding those who passed. His biscuit and tea, made with the water from the tea water pump, were in great request.

Renowned Mechanics, and others.

Humbert, in Ann street, was the distinguished cracker and cake baker; Wandel Ham, in Broad street; Varick, in Pearl street, and Arcularius, in Courtlandt street, the chief bakers of family bread. Meeks & Brouwer, in Broad street, the best esteemed cabinet-makers; Galatian, the upholsterer; Sherred, the painter and glazier; Forbes, in Broadway, near Wall street, a silver-smith of high standing. Ross, in Broadway, near Fair street, was the chief coach-maker. Grant Thorburn, in Nassau street, was a distinguished seedsman. The Messrs. Ogsbury, in William street, were celebrated for their excellent needles and choice articles of sewing utensils. Dando, the hatter, and Weyman, the storekeeper of ready made clothing, in Maiden lane, did a large business, as did St. John & Seofield, merchant tailors, in Hanover square.

John Slidell, in Broadway; Walkeys, in Nassau street; Andrew Morris,

in Broad street, near Water street, and Mr. Steele, in Bridge street, were in large business as tallow chandlers. T. & J. Swords and Hugh Gaine were printers and stationers. Stephen Gould was the chief law bookseller; his store was at the corner of Wall and Broad streets. Isaac Riley, in the lower story of the City Hotel, and Inskeep & Bradford, on Broadway, had their stores as booksellers.

House builders—Ezra Weeks, John Ireland, Martin E. Thompson and Isaac Hatfield.

The chief merchants were Gouverneur & Kemble, Minturn & Champlin, Le Roy, Bayard & Co., John R. Wheatun, Saltus, Son & Co., Samuel G. Ogden, John B. Murray & Son, Wm. Edgar, Alexander Macomb, John G. and Henry A. Coster, John Jacob Astor, John H. Howland, George Barnewall, Jonathan H. Lawrence, Isaac Lawrence, and others. Dominick Lynch, John Shaw, John C. Shaw and Captain Roach were wine merchants.

John Ferrers and John Delafield were insurance adjusters. The chief auctioneers were John and Philip Hone, Hoffman & Glass, James Seton and David Dunham, and for the sale of books, James McMennomy; he held auction every Saturday night in Water street, next to the Tontine Coffee House. Messrs. Lorillard were the chief tobacconists.

Physicians.

The physicians of eminence were Doctors Hosack, Post, Hamersley, McNeven and Kissam. The lawyers, Messrs. Colden, Hoffman, Wells, Emmett, Pendleton, Riggs, Riker, Slosson, Bogardus, C. J. Bogart and N. Sanford. The notaries, Keese & Gaw, Wm. Bleecker and J. Wilkes.

State Officers.

Daniel D. Tompkins was Governor; John Lansing, Chancellor; James Kent, Chief Justice, and Joseph Yates, W. W. Van Ness, Smith Thompson and Ambrose Spencer were Judges of the Supreme Court of the State.

United States Officers.

Brockholst Livingston was Judge of the Circuit, and Nathaniel P. Tallmadge, Judge of the District Court of the United States for this district. Nathan Sandford was District Attorney of the United States, Charles Clinton was Clerk of the United States Courts, David Gelston was Collector, and Peter A. Schenck, Surveyor of the Customs for the port.

State, County and City Officers.

De Witt Clinton was Mayor, Pierre C. Van Wyck was Recorder, Jacob Ferris, Sheriff; Teunis Wortman, County Clerk, then uniting the duty of Clerk of the Mayor's Court, County Clerk, and Clerk of the Common Council, and as such recorder of deeds and instruments, including all the

duties of the present Register; Jameson Cox and Henry White were his Deputy Clerks, Jacob De la Montagnie was Police Justice, and Bartholomew Skaats was Keeper of the City Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Skaats.

Mr. and Mrs. Skaats are identified with the past history of the city. They both were excellent personifications of respectable Dutch character, in dress, in address, in habits, in frugality, in tidiness, in hospitality, prudence and industry. They loved good fare, good cheer, and could well prepare a feast of excellence. They were free to obtain, able to prepare, and competent to enjoy the best of what was in the market. They were well to do in the world.

Mr. Skaats, in costume, was like Mr. Bogart, the biscuit-maker, and with the like long pipe in his mouth, would be seen daily in the passageways, rooms and offices of the Hall; and his wife would be found, engaged in her household affairs, dressed in a cap of old Dutch form, and short gown of calico and linsey-woolsey petticoat; yarn stockings, shoes of strength and comfort, with buckles, and neat neck-kerchief, with pincushion and scissors hanging from her pocket hole. So was she daily dressed, and at her post.

It was the good cheer and excellent hospitality of these warm-hearted people which led to the establishment of the tea-room, for many years so renowned. Their apartments were on the west side of the first open court of the Hall; and Mr. Skaats being the Cryer of the Courts, naturally in stormy and hard weather some of the judges, lawyers and officers who were detained there would be invited to his rooms, and there would be spread out for their comfort the viands, comforts and pastries for which Mrs. Skaats was famous. Whether it was a dinner or tea that the repast happened to be, it was given in true Dutch style and excellence, and with a free heart. The diet was always excellent, and secured a return of the visitors. The correct and kind conduct and excellent principles of Mr. and Mrs. Skaats secured to them, also, the respect and friendship of all who knew them.

Tea-Room.

When the present City Hall was finished, Mr. and Mrs. Skaats removed to it as its keepers. Soon afterward a suggestion was significantly made to them to establish in their rooms a regular table for the Common Council and its guests, and to attend to it, at the expense and as the agents of the Corporation. They declined to accede to the suggestion, and soon afterward resigned. Mr. Martling, the keeper of Tammany Hall, succeeded them.

Hanover Square.

In Hanover square was a small triangular block, which included the residences of Mr. Goelet, the hardware merchant; Mr. Mesier, the stationer, and Mr. Van Nest, the saddler.

Appointments.

The Mayor, Recorder, Sheriff, Coroner and County Clerk, all judges, justices, masters and examiners in chancery, all Port Wardens, Harbor Masters, auctioneers, notaries and militia officers, all Inspectors of Grain or produce, and the Chancellor of the State, were then appointed by a Council of Appointment, consisting of one Senator chosen by the Legislature from each of the former four great districts (see revised laws of 1813, page —) of the State, and the Governor of the State, as the presiding officer thereof.

County Government.

The county, as now, was governed by its Board of Supervisors and its county officers; but its Board of Supervisors then was composed of the Mayor, Recorder and ten Aldermen.

Common Council.

The Common Council consisted of the Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen. The Mayor appointed the City Marshals and granted licenses to cartmen, porters, pawnbrokers and sellers of liquor. He was presiding officer in the Court of Sessions.

Judiciary.

The judiciary arrangement was as follows, viz.:

A court in each ward for civil cases, to the extent of twenty-five dollars, held by a Ward Justice.

A Marine Court, held by three justices, having jurisdiction to the extent of one hundred dollars, and in cases of assault and battery on the high seas, having jurisdiction without limit as to amount.

The Mayor's Court, held by the Recorder, with jurisdiction in civil cases to two hundred and fifty dollars. The County Clerk was *ex officio* its clerk.

The State Supreme Court, which had jurisdiction without limit as to amount in civil common law cases, and appellate power in civil and criminal cases, and one of its judges, with two Aldermen, holding the Court of Oyer and Terminer; one holding its circuits in the counties and its sittings in New York—the Circuit Courts and Court of Sittings being termed Nisi Prius Courts—to try issues of fact. James Fairlie was then its clerk in New York, and James Aird his deputy. Mr. Bloodgood was its clerk in Albany. It held two terms in each city, and three Courts of Sittings, and usually the like number of Courts of Oyer and Terminer in New York.

The Court of Chancery, having unlimited jurisdiction in equity cases throughout the State. It was held by the Chancellor, two terms in New York and two terms in Albany every year. It had a Register in Albany, an Assistant Register in New York, two clerks, and a Sergeant-at-Arms in each city, and Masters and Examiners in every county. The Register

and assistant kept the minutes and moneys of the court; the Clerk, was one for each side in the cause, kept files of the papers on one or other side; the Examiners examined the witnesses on written interrogatories, and the Masters received and held references of various matters referred to them by the court, and directed, under like orders, sales of property and gave deeds therefor, and had all the powers that Commissioners of Deeds now have, to take the acknowledgment of deeds and papers to be recorded. Isaac L. Kip was then Assistant Register in New York.

Superfice of the Island.

The superfice of the lower as well as other portions of the island was originally graceful, varied, romantic and prepossessing, diversified in all the forms of hill and dale, and valley, of brook and rivulet, and winding stream of limpid water, which made up numerous views and prospects most captivating. The higher line of lands was from the Battery, along where now is Broadway, far on to the north, in varied degrees of elevation. But, like a backbone, in the centre was there uniformly highest, and fell off gracefully to the east and west, except where the brook crossed it; where it fell to a valley from the south and north—the Collect or fresh water pond being on the east, and Lispenard Meadow being on the west, in both of which were large springs, which kept the water fresh and flowing. The water was very deep at where is now the corner of Grand and Greene streets. About 1809 or '10 a gentleman named White was there drowned by walking there by mistake at night.

At the corner of Grand street and Broadway was a high hill, from which the land gracefully fell off toward the brook at Canal street, and up which, Broadway, or the King's Bridge road, was. From that hill was a view which in majestic loveliness was very captivating. Below in the valley, on each side the road, the waters were seen flowing toward each river, those on the east finding their way through and over the low lands, where now is Roosevelt street, and those on the west finding their way through the low lands of the meadows of Lispenard to the North river, through a sewer made through a dike, where now is Greenwich street, and the ponds on each side varying in width, and each presenting a beautiful sheet of water, the low lands of Lispenard extending by a branch down what is now Chapel street as far as Thomas street. To the south and west was a succession of hills, which were overlooked, and on one, to the west of and near Broadway, a little above Anthony street, was once Curry's ice cream garden; from thence to the west, beyond a valley which intervened, and where now is Laight street, near St. John's Park, was the high hill on which was the country seat of Leonard Lispenard. To the west the eye rested on the green woods and lands of Richmond Hill, a romantic spot, where once resided Colonel Burr, and in the intermediate glen was the residence of Mr. Glover. To the south lay Broadway, then a highway road, the hospital recently erected beside it; and near and below the hospital was once the mead garden of an old lady named Elsley;

the rise of property to her posterity realized a fortune. Below these, on the east side of Broadway, where now is Mr. Stewart's large store, were the lands once known as the Negro Burying Ground. All this region, and the King's Farm, and the lands of King's College, in Robinson street, and the Fields, now the Park, were seen at a glance from that high hill at the corner of Grand street. On the east lay the broad lands of Stuyvesant and Kipp, and their domicils, and that beautiful sheet of water, Kipp's Bay; and near at hand were the lands that since formed the east and west Bayard Farm; and far, far away, yet before the eye, were the North and East rivers and the magnificent bay, and the lands and shores beyond. It was, indeed, in its native condition, an island of magnificent scenery. The house on that top hill was built downward as the hill from time to time was depressed, until it became a three story building. It was finally removed. Near it was a higher hill, called Bunker's Hill, from whence the view was also grand.

From the latter hill might be seen also Judge Benson's country site, where now is Bleecker, near Carmine street; the house is yet standing. His place bounded on the Minetta Brook, a stream that flowed from above, and through a part of Potter's Field, now Washington Square, passed down by Judge Benson's place, and separated it from Sand Field, called Sandy Hill, and thence passed westerly by the north of Richmond Hill, opposite to which it expanded into a large pond; then, at where now is Varick street, it contracted into a narrow brook; thence fell off to a salt meadow, and found its way to the North River. Greenwich was separated by this brook from the city. The scenery here was beautiful. From the top of Richmond Hill an enticing prospect was presented. On the south, the woods and dells and winding road from the lands of Lispenard, through the valley, where was Borrowson's; and on the north and west, the plains of Greenwich Village made up a rich picture to gaze on.

Inhabitants Fifty Years Ago.

Fifty years ago, among the inhabitants on State street were William Bayard, William Nelson, and Jacob Morton. On Whitehall street, Cornelius Du Bois, Cornelius Gouverneur. On Broadway, below the Park, N. Prime. (The house in which Mr. Prime lived was No. 1 Broadway, and was built of Dutch brick; though much modernized, it is yet standing. It was, in the Revolutionary War, for a time the head-quarters of certain of the British general officers. It was there that General Arnold, on his flight, went, and where he was supposed to be when the plan for his capture was adopted.) G. Van Horn, Wm Lawrence, Wm. Edgar, Alexander Macomb, Brockholst Livingston, John R. Livingston, Mrs. Douglas, Robert Lenox, Isaac Clason, John F. Delaplaine, Cornelius Ray, Dr. Post, John Slidell, Mrs. Bradish, Mrs. Sadler. In Beaver street, Theodosius Fowler, John C. Shaw. In Pearl street, John Shaw, James W. Lent, James Quick, William Peck, —— Lawrence, (father of John L. Lawrence,) Captain Greenfield. And at Hanover Square, Nicholas Low,

Lieutenant Governor Broome, General Moreau, John Lang, Mrs. Banks, John Harned. Beyond Wall street, John Mason, John Kane, John Mowatt, Robert Bowne. In Broad street, Messrs. Guerlain, Margatroyd, Meeks, Shened, Levy, Ludlow, Gelston, De Peyster, J. A. Graham, Post, Babb, Jones. In Stone street, Garret Storms, Swartwout, Capt Haft. In William street, C. D. Colden, Stewart, the grocer, Minard Staenoker, G. W. Murray, General Bailey, Winant Van Zandt In Wall street, Clopper, Furman, Baker, Palmer, Mrs. Burger, Burtsell, J. O. Hoffman, Ludlow, Mrs. White, Pearsall, Morewood, Pendleton, Clopper, Furman, Baker, Palmer, Gould, Watch-house, Burtsell, Burger, Hoffman, Ludlow, Jauncey, Wire Bank, Furman. Corner of William street, James & Bulkley, Mrs. White, Pearsall, Capt. Waddell, Bache, Irving, Smitham, Commercial Advertiser, Van Wagner, McNeill, United States Bank, Chas. McEvers, New York Bank, Winthrop, S. Jones, Mechanics' Bank, Capt. Kermit, B. Bailey, N. Pendleton, Morewood, City Hall, King's Tavern, Church, B. Bailey, Kermit, S. Jones, Winthrop, C. McEvers.

Fifty years ago, the streets in the lower part of the city were generally narrow, crooked, and short. Pearl street, Nassau and William, very crooked and narrow. Sloat Lane, a dark street, kennel in the middle, and no sidewalks. Maiden Lane exceedingly deformed.

The Post Office then was at the residence of General Bailey, at the corner of William and Garden streets. The City Library was in Nassau street, opposite the Middle Dutch Church.

One morning, in the summer of the year 1803, Dr. McLean, a well known physician and surgeon, received an anonymous letter, stating that at nine o'clock in the evening of the day of its date, (the day he received it,) he would find on the south side of the Bowling Green, at the foot of Broadway, a horse and gig. He was requested to take charge of them, and drive to a spot designated on the road running alongside of Potter's Field, (where now is Washington square,) and there he would find some friends waiting for him. He did so. He found the horse and gig at the time and place designated. It was a moonlight night. He got in the gig, and drove to Potter's Field. As he approached the spot designated, which was at one of the gates, he heard pistol shots. When he reached the spot, on looking over the fence he saw one man holding up another, and other persons a little distance off. The man who was supporting another called to him, and asked if he was Dr. McLean. He answered he was. Then, said the other, this gentleman requires your assistance; be good enough to take charge of him, and place him with his friends. Upon saying this, he gently laid the person he had held, on the ground, and left him, passing over, as did the others, out of sight.

The doctor went to the person thus so strangely left to his care, and found that it was Mr. Thompson, then a harbor master of the port. He was severely and, as afterward appeared, fatally wounded. Dr. McLean, as well as he could, staunched his wound, and brought him to his residence in the city, where, after lingering for two or three days, he died.

It was palpable he had been wounded in a duel, and as antecedent events pointed strongly to the individual who was his antagonist, strenuous efforts were made to discover him. Thompson himself was, previous to his death, urged strongly to disclose the name of the person. He uniformly and firmly refused; said he had been honorably treated—was honorably shot; and died with the secret unrevealed.

Mr. Thompson and Mr. Coleman, previous to the event, were active and warm politicians on opposite sides. It was known that circumstances, of strong hostility and severe invective, had occurred to engender severe animosity from one to the other mutually, and little doubt was entertained as to the antagonist of Thompson.

The Street Cries of New York Fifty Years Ago.

The milkmen then usually wore a yoke, from each side of which was suspended, by a chain, a large tin kettle filled with milk. With these they then went daily from door to door, and delivered to their customers the daily allowance of the article they consumed. Their cry was originally "Milk, ho!" but it degenerated into various peculiar sounds, which their customers alone understood. At present the variety is very curious; some make a strange whistle, and these whistles are numerous in their peculiarities; some a falsetto, some a bass, some a treble, some difficult to describe; some employ a bell. The yoke has passed away, and carts of various forms are substituted.

The bakers used tall round baskets for bread, which some carried bodily round on one shoulder by a handle; others had them in an oblong wagon, containing about half a dozen baskets. Their cry was "Bread," when family bread alone was used; but for cakes they had various cries, including tea rusk, and hot cross buns, and ginger bread. The baskets, the wagons, and the cries, have disappeared.

The bellman, as he was called, the street scavenger, in his rounds, was a noisy, and often entertaining, as well as useful member of the city government. In cadence with his bell, would he give forth songs of various burdens, slow, fast, and with and without chorus. He was regarded as the best and vagrant comedian of the district assigned to him, ever merry, every ready with a good joke or a good word. The women and young girls ever received him with a laugh, and with a tendency to mischief. This personage is no more.

The chimney sweepers of those days were young negro boys, who, dark as they were, were made blacker by the quantity of soot which covered them and the old clothes they wore. With the break of day did the streets ring with their cries of "Sweep, ho! sweep, ho! from the bottom to the top, without a ladder or a rope, sweep, ho!" to which a chorus or cry, in which often were added dulcet sounds of real harmony.

Many others were the various cries of the city which summoned the maids and housekeepers to the door; they formed a daily round of household attention, as well as amusement, and lightened the drudgery or

tedium of the passing hours. They, as well as most those who then were interested in, or observers of, them, have disappeared.

Among the doctors fifty years ago, were Dr. McLean, Dr. Kissam, Dr. Romaine, Dr. Bruce. Among the inhabitants of Wall street, was Daniel McCormick. Among those on Broadway, John Watts, whose house is of Dutch brick; it is yet standing.

The street views of New York, as it is, are numerous, and many of them imposing. No. 1, after leaving the Battery, from the south side of the Bowling Green, look to the north up Broadway, and beyond on each side is a range of magnificent store buildings; to the west, down to the North river, where the broad river terminates the view, this circle, interesting as it is of itself by past events, being overlooked at the south by a range of imposing buildings.

No. 2, from Wall street, at the corner of Pearl, up Wall street on each side is a range of superb buildings, including the granite Exchange and the various banking houses, until at Broadway, is standing opposite Wall street the noble structure Trinity Church, and its great spire; on the east and west is Pearl street, full of stores and activity; and the East river.

No. 3. Take your stand at the corner of Leonard street and Broadway, and thence up Broadway, over and upon the intervening valley is a picture of human bustle and street beauty rarely to be seen, on each sidewalk, as far as the eye can reach; beyond Canal street, on the rising surface, quite, sometimes, as far as Houston street, is a dense crowd of people, either eager in the chase of business or amusement; while the carriage-way is loaded with vehicles of all kinds, including large numbers of the various omnibuses which traverse the city. Buildings, on each side, many of magnificent character, bound the street. Down Broadway is the counterpart of this, though not so far extensive; on the east and west, the whole length of Leonard street is beneath the eye.

No. 4. Take position at the corner of Vesey street and Broadway; on the north and south, up and down Broadway, are further sections of this great street. The Astor House, extending to Barclay street, and St. Paul's Church, and its yard, (where repose the remains of General Montgomery, Thomas Addis Emmett, and many other distinguished men,) extending to Fulton street; Barnum's Museum, opposite, at the corner of Ann; the Park, the City Hall, and other public buildings, the north side of Chambers, and its noble buildings, and Stewart's palace of trade, all seen at a glance; while the busy throng up and down Broadway, Chatham, Ann and Vesey streets, and as far as the eye can reach, those streets and their distinguished buildings meet the eye.

No. 5. From the corner of the Bowery and Division you have an extended view, far up the Bowery and Division street, through the length of Catharine and over Chatham, to beyond Pearl street, and the mighty multitudes which are passing.

No. 6. At the corner of Waverley place and the Fifth avenue the eye

falls, on looking to the south, on the square, and the splendid buildings which surround it, including the University, and the church next to it, and the superb buildings up and down Waverley place. On looking up the Fifth avenue, it rests upon a street of palaces, in architecture and magnificence difficult to surpass.

No. 7. Union place and its elliptical park seems to be one of the great features of the metropolis, at every different side of it extend streets of domicils, great in their comforts, luxuriance and taste. Around the square, including several large hotels, and one of the beautiful churches of the city; the artery street—Fourteenth street—passing its southern boundary; from it views are had through Fourteenth street, from river to river; down Broadway and the Bowery, up Broadway and the Fifth avenue; all presenting to the eye a captivating scene of street architecture and arrangement.

Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12. Madison square, Tompkins square, Stuyvesant square, Hudson square and Grammercy park, and their environs, present views and objects beautiful, as street scenery, to behold.

No. 13. The various avenues, in different parts, especially at Murray Hill, on the Fifth; the Reservoir, near it; the Third, at Forty-ninth street; the Sixth, at the Crystal Palace; the Ninth, at Chelsea; the Fifth, above and at Madison square, make up a list of street scenery not often surpassed.

The above are indicated only as a few out of a large number. It is, perhaps, an extraordinary instance of a city, in its superfice, possessing so many of these interesting features.

1853.—Now, in 1856, the city contains 630,000 inhabitants, an increase in fifty-one years of 550,000—11,000 per annum. The real and personal property within it, which is taxed at upward of 513 millions of dollars. Its public property, not taxed, is valued at $41,432,326. The duties collected at the Custom-house of the port during the past year exceeds $. The buildings within it, exceeding the limits of its close population, from its southern point, covers the island from river to river as far north as Forty-ninth street; and from Harlem, from the north side, on the easterly section of the island, as far south as One hundred and twentieth street. Manhattanville, on the North river, at One hundred and twenty fifth street, is a considerable village; and Yorkville, about midway between Harlem and the city proper, contains a large population. On the intermediate spaces there is a numerous though scattered population. The city is paved as far north as Forty-second street, and also a part of Harlem—a large portion of it with Russ and Reed and Belgian pavement; the curbs, all of stones; the sidewalks, of flag stones.

Steamers.

Within the past fifty years events have occurred which have affected not only the city, but of vast general importance. It was about the year

1806 that, from this city, Mr. Fulton, on the North river, successfully established the power of navigation by steam, the steamer North River being the first steamer that ran. She plied for many years between New York and Albany; indeed, until she was worn out. Now, to and from this city and Liverpool are the two lines of the Cunard British steamers, and the American line of the Collins steamers. Between this city and Glasgow is a line of steamers; between it and Havre is an American line; between it and Hamburg is an American line; between it and Panama is an American line; and between it and Nicaragua is an American line; between it and Charleston is a line; and between it and New Orleans, by the way of Havana, is a line. These, and other steamers in the foreign and coasting trade, form an amount of wealth, and manifest a degree of enterprise, power and skill, that are colossal. Many of these vessels each cost more than half a million, and in elegance, luxury and comfort, excellent. Daily are carried in these vessels millions, in value, of property, and multitudes of persons from every clime, rendering traveling no longer a task, but a delight and enjoyment.

In the inland trade, there is a line of steamers to Fall River, in Rhode Island; several lines between this city and New Haven; several between it and Hartford, and other places on the Connecticut river; a line between it and Amboy; one between it and Newark; one between it and Elizabethtown, in New Jersey. Also, there are several lines between the city of New York and Albany, some of which steamers are gigantic in size, and fitted up in a style of superior elegance. Various lines also exist between it and the different cities and towns on the river, Poughkeepsie, Newburgh, and other places. And, to the above is to be added the numerous steamers which are engaged as tugs or towing vessels, by means of which millions, in value, of property are brought to and carried from the city by the inland rivers and estuaries, and multitudes of vessels are towed to and from the sea each day, including the transit of immense amounts of property.

Railroads.

Within the half century railroads have been introduced and established, carrying from and bringing to the city from every direction vast amounts of property, and immense numbers of persons, daily. Now, there is the New Haven Railroad Company to the east, and the Harlem Railroad, and the Hudson River Railroad, to the north, commence in this city. The two latter at Albany, connecting with the extensive railroads of the north and west, the New York and Erie Railroad, from Lake Erie to Piermont, and thence connected by steamers to New York; besides the Southern railroads to Jersey City and Amboy, which connect with this city. These daily carry to and from the city a vast amount of property, and a vast number of persons.

Canals.

Within the fifty years the Great Erie and Northern Canal, connecting water navigation between the Hudson and the upper lakes, have been suc-

cessfully made by the state of New York. By this, the trade and business of the city have advanced to an extraordinary amount.

Telegraph.

The Telegraph has been invented and introduced, so that distance seems annihilated, and knowledge communicated with the quickness of lightning. The poles and apparatus for this wonderful discovery are standing in every leading thoroughfare of the city. Its use is now deemed indispensable.

Ferries.

Now there are nineteen ferries from the city, by steamers, generally of excellent and, most of them, of most costly kind; and their ferry houses and landings of superior conveniences, so that, now, to cross in them is a repose and a recreation. There are two to Staten Island, one to Jersey City, three to Hoboken, two to other parts of Jersey, one to Astoria, and one to Brooklyn. Thousands of persons are daily conveyed by the boats on these ferries.

Division of City, Streets, &c.

The city now is divided into twenty-two wards. The streets in the old part of the city have generally been altered. Wall, Cedar, Liberty, John, Dey, Fulton, (formerly Fair,) Ann, Beekman, Spruce, William, Nassau, Gold, Cliff, Chapel, Chambers, Duane, Dover, and other streets, Maiden lane, and Park place, have been widened, straightened, or lengthened, and others are now undergoing a change. Sloat lane, the old City Hall, the Bridewell, the Tontine Coffee-house, the City Hotel, the Union Hotel, and most of the buildings which, fifty years ago were standing, and the triangular block in Hanover square, the tea water pump, the street pumps, and the Manhattan Reservoir, no longer exist.

The State Prison has been removed to Sing Sing. Two fires, one in 1835, and one in 1845, each destroyed houses and property to the amount of many millions of dollars in value, including an Exchange, erected where the present one is, and over a wide area, of many acres, in the First Ward, all of which is again covered with buildings, heavy stores of great value. From the lower part of the city, the old inhabitants have, with few exceptions, removed to the northern section of it. The houses are removed, and stores and buildings, for purposes, generally of great cost, and many of elaborate architecture, are in their places, and this now extended to and including Chambers street. The Governor's house, near the Battery, was removed many years ago. All the churches below the Park, except the two Episcopal ones on Broadway, St. George's in Beekman, the North in William, and the Catholic church in Barclay street, the middle Dutch in Nassau, and the Brick Church on Beekman; the latter has been sold for secular purposes, and is abandoned; the former the Post Office; all, with the exception of those mentioned, have been removed, as have been the trees

and front lawn of Columbia College. Indeed, the Bowling Green, shorn of the pedestal which once supported the statue of George the Third; the Battery, deprived of much of what it had, and the College, deprived of its lawn and trees, seem to be the only prominent relics left of past times. Trinity Church has been removed, and a large and magnificent church erected in its place.

City Hall.

The present City Hall, (which was preceded by one on the same site,) was completed within the half century, the old one removed, and the Custom-house, now in use, erected on the site of the old Hall. The present City Hall is now worn, and found inadequate for present purposes. The building of the City Library has been removed; and after being for some years the owner of the building where the Messrs. Appletons now are, the institution have erected and established itself in a building in University place.

The city is now, beyond the old portion of it, arranged by avenues, running from South to North, to the number of eighteen, besides two intermediate ones, Lexington and Madison avenues, and by streets running at right angles with the avennes, and numbered from one to two hundred and twenty-nine, inclusive; the first running from the Bowery, nearly opposite Bleecker street, to the East river and the south end of the avenues, joining on different streets of the lower part of the city. Of these avenues, the Fourth is used by the Harlem and New Haven Railroad Companies, a part of the Tenth by the Hudson River Railroad Company, and the Second, Third, Sixth, Eighth and Ninth by the different city railroad companies, which use only horses or mules, not engines.

To and from various parts of the city there are now twenty six lines of omnibuses, employing four hundred and eighty-nine of these conveyances, most of which go down Broadway from the juncture with Chatham street. Vast numbers of persons are carried in these, and in the railroad cars, every day.

Croton Water.

The Croton Aqueduct and Reservoir have been built at a cost of many millions, and are in excellent condition. The whole city is now abundantly supplied with pure and wholesome water, by means of the aqueduct and reservoir, and of iron pipes, laid below ground, throughout the city, and then conveyed, through smaller pipes, into the houses of the inhabitants; the head of water being such as to allow them water in the highest stories, so that baths and taps in every room, with extreme convenience, can be in every house, and jets in every public square of the city. The poorest, as well as the richest, enjoy this blessing; this security to health, comfort and cleanliness.

Street Sweeping.

The streets now are swept, and the garbage removed at the expense of the city at large. The expense o the city for the past year being $259,254.

Most of the city, at a great cost, has been sewered, and thus a convenience and additional security to health is obtained. A Quarantine, under a state law, exists at Staten Island, controlled by the Board of Health. A great security also.

Lighting by Gas.

In place of the old system of lighting the streets by lamps, with oil, the streets, and indeed public buildings, and most of the churches and private houses, are lighted with gas, by the agency of two incorporated companies. Gas pipes, of iron, being laid under ground, in the streets throughout the city.

Police.

Instead of the watch system formerly in use for the night, and the employment of marshals in the day-time, the present police system has been adopted. It employs one thousand two hundred persons; and its cost for the present year is $328,500.

Cemeteries.

In lieu of the grave-yards which were used in the city, several elegant cemeteries are established in the adjoining country. The principal one being the Greenwood Cemetery, on Long Island, a few miles from the city. Its grounds, naturally beautiful, are arranged and embellished with great taste. It is full of interesting and elegant, though mournful and impressive memorials; it is well deserving of an examination by the thoughtful, the good and the humane.

Banks.

1. The New York.
2. The State of New York.
3. The Merchants'.
4. The Bank of America.
5. The Union.
6. The Mechanics'.
7. The National.
8. The Manhattan.
9. The Phœnix.
10. The City.
11. The American Exchange.
12. The Bank of Commerce.
13. The St. Nicholas.
14. The Commonwealth.
15. The Bank of North America
16. The Mechanics' Bank'g Assoc'n.
17. The Continental.
18. The Bank of the Republic.
19. The Metropolitan.
20. The Mercantile.
21. The Chemical.
22. The Shoe and Leather.
23. The Broadway.
24. Park Bank.
25. The Nassau.
26. The Hanover.
27. The Artisans.
28. The Fulton.
29. The Seventh Ward.
30. The Peoples'.
31. The Bowery.
32. The Butchers' and Drovers'.
33. The North River.
34. The Merchants' Exchange.
35. The Grocers'.
36. The Market.
37. The Irving.
38. Bull's Head.
39. East River.
40. Leather Manufacturers'.

The banking-houses and stores in the lower part of the city, and the dwelling-houses in the upper sections of it, are, in numerous instances, equal in expense and ornament, outside and inside, to palaces. The old domicils and buildings have given way to structures, many of which are built with so free a hand as to be a subject of wonder. Broadway, Wall street, the lower part of William and Nassau streets, Liberty, Cortlandt, Dey, Fulton, Barclay, Park place, Warren, Murray and Chambers streets are distinguished for these costly establishments. The banking-house of Sherman, Duncan & Co., at the corner of Pine and Nassau, the building now erecting next to it; the Bank of Commerce, in Nassau, opposite the Post-office; the Bank of the State of New York, opposite the Exchange, in William street; the Mechanics', the American Exchange, the Union, now erecting; the Manhattan, the St. Nicholas, the Continental, and the Bank of New York, in Wall street; the Bank of the Commonwealth, in Nassau street; that of the Republic, the Metropolitan, the Mercantile, the Broadway, the Chemical, the Shoe and Leather, on Broadway; and the banking-houses on Greenwich street and the Bowery, are costly and handsome structures.

The stores on Park place, Murray, Warren and Chambers streets; that of Stewart, of McNamee & Co., and the Trinity Buildings, and those on the site of the old City Hotel, and numerous other buildings, are, many of them, gigantic in size and cost.

Hotels.

The Astor House, the St. Nicholas, the Metropolitan, the La Farge House, the Prescott House, the Clarendon, the Union Square, the Brevoort House, the New York Hotel, are grand and collossal buildings; erected and furnished with great elegance and taste. Beside these, are Holt's Hotel, in Pearl street, an immense building, of white marble; the New York Hotel, in Broadway, a considerable large structure; several large hotels in Cortlandt and Greenwich streets, and other parts of the city. From fifty thousand to one hundred thousand strangers are, at all times, abiding in, and going to and from the city.

Dwelling-Houses.

The dwellings in Lafayette place, in Washington and on St. John's square, in East Broadway, St. Mark's place and the Second avenue, Clinton place, and in the crossing streets above Washington square, are generally elegant, and replete with comfort, as well as those on the other avenues. Those on the Fifth avenue are, in many instances, beyond all others, in extravagance of cost and luxury; costing, indeed, each a fortune. But they unite with the luxury an extent of comfort and convenience unsurpassed. The furniture and ornaments of these establishments excel all precedent.

Churches.

The churches have been largely withdrawn from the lower part of the city, yet there are remaining the North Church, in William street; St.

George's in Beekman street; and the noble building, Trinity Church, at the head of Wall street; and St. Paul's in Broadway; the Catholic, in Barclay street. They have multiplied extensively in the upper part of the city

1. Trinity.
2. St. Paul's.
3. St. John's.
4. Trinity Chapel.
5. St. George's.
6. St. Marks.
7. Grace.
8. Holy Communion.
9. Mr. Bedell's.
10. Two Floating Chapels.
11. Mr Hawkes'.
12. Mr. Tyng's.
13. Synagogue, in Crosby street.
14. Same in Wooster street.
15. Same in Henry street.
16. Church in Thompson street.
17. Cathedral.
18. Catholic, in Barclay street.
19. In Eighth street.
20. In Canal street.
21. In Thompson street.
22. In Duane street.
23. In Fifth avenue.
24. In Lexington avenue.
25. Presbyterian, (North Church.)
26. Dr. Potts'.
27. Dr. Phillips'.
28. In Rutgers street.
29. Dr. Spring's.
30. Unitarian, Dr. Bellows'.
31. Fourth avenue.
32. Methodist, in Duane street.
33. In John street.
34. In Macdougal street.
35. In Bedford street.

Of the Catholic, including their Cathedral, there are now twenty-four churches; of the Protestant Episcopal, there are forty-nine, of the Presbyterian and Baptist, sixty-eight; of the Methodists, forty-one; of Jews, there are sixteen Synagogues; and of Unitarian churches there are two; and one meeting-house of the Friends.

Theatres.

The following are the theatres and places of amusement, viz:

Broadway Theatre.
Bowery Theatre.
American Theatre, Chambers st.
Wallack's, in Broadway.
Laura Keene's in Broadway.
Burton's at the La Farge, in B'way.
Niblo's Garden.
Academy of Music, on Fourteenth st.
Wood & Christy's Negro Minstrels, in Broadway.
Buckley's Negro Minstrels, in B'way.
National Theatre, Chatham street.
Barnum's Museum, in Broadway.

These establishments are all, generally, well attended.

Present Public Buildings.

The present Custom-house is built on the site of the original one, and in place of the last City Hall, at the head of Broad street. It is a marble building, in form of a Grecian temple. The Assay Office is in the banking-house, next door, (also of marble,) of the old Bank of the United States.

The present Exchange is a granite building, occupying a square, and fronting on Wall street; it is a building of magnitude, and of much architectural beauty. This, and the Custom-house, are both fire-proof buildings. In place of the Tontine Coffee-house is an elegant building, employed for offices.

The Alms-house in the Park had a successor in a building at the foot of Twenty-sixth street, on the East river, to which its tenants were removed about the year 1848; and the building in the Park was employed for public officers and by the courts, till the winter of 1854, when it was burned down. Buildings on Blackwell's Island, which form the present Alms-house, have since been substituted for that on the East river. The latter is now the Bellevue Hospital.

Fire Department.

The present Fire Department is made up of a force consisting of a Chief Engineer and eleven Assistants, forty-six engine, fifty-seven hose, thirteen hook and ladder, and five hydrant companies, nine employees in the public yard, twenty-seven bell-ringers, and upward of three thousand men; of forty-six engines; fifty-seven hose carts, thirteen sets of hooks and ladders, and hydrants at almost every corner. As a benevolent association, it has a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, collector, two trustees, twelve wardens and six fire commissioners.

Schools

A part and parcel of the school system of the state gives to the city the result that now there are one hundred and seventeen public school-houses in the city; many of them of large size and excellent accommodation, including the Free Academy; at which five hundred scholars daily attend. The cost of this department to the city, this year is upward of $1,100,000, and that all who are disposed to partake of this great bounty can do so without money and without price.

Military.

The military force of the city now consists of the uniformed division, commanded by General Sandford, embracing a force of six thousand seven hundred and eighty-six men, consisting of the brigades of General Spicer, General Willett, General Hall and General Ewen, and made up of fifteen regiments and the Veteran Corps of Artillery, besides the uniformed militia, which numbers about twelve thousand men, who are called to parade once a year or pay a fine of seventy-five cents. A large proportion of the uniformed corps have their drill-rooms, and are well disciplined. As a reserved force of high order, this division is a strong arm of support to the civil power. The members are exempt from jury duty. The State Arsenal is on the Sixth avenue, and a subordinate one, or Armory, is in Centre street.

National Guard.

As to one of the regiments distinguished for its discipline, *morale*, and strength—"the National Guard," now numbering about 800 muskets—a circumstance exists which is so honorable to its members, as generous as well as brave men, that it deserves notice.

Some years ago, one of its officers, who was deservedly beloved and respected, died penniless, leaving an interesting daughter, for the mother was also dead, an orphan, and of tender years.

The regiment adopted, and have since supported and educated her, handsomely and respectably; have done so, as well as money and kindness could. She is the daughter of the regiment, and each man regards himself as one of her fathers. The house of the Colonel is her home, and once a year, in military style, she is presented to the corps, and a report in full made of her progress in learning and accomplishments. She is now about fourteen years of age, and doubtless, on coming of age, will receive from her numerous fathers a handsome dowry. It is a noble manifestation of goodness of heart.

Sailing Vessels.

Besides the numerous steamers above-mentioned, thousands of vessels of various classes, from the clipper built and mammoth ships, measuring thousands of tons, to the smallest sized vessel that navigates the seas, are plying to and from the port. Its foreign commerce extends to all parts of the world, and its harbor, on both sides of the rivers, continually crowd the port. The products and fabrics; the fruits and luxuries of every part of the civilized world, are brought to it. Besides, it is made the port of transit for goods from all parts, to the value of millions upon millions, yearly; the port to which vessels from all parts come to seek for freights; the port in which are built vessels renowned throughout the world for their excellence, often for their magnitude, always for their beauty. From California, in twelve months, have arrived, in gold alone, upward of forty millions of dollars. Its pilots are celebrated for their skill and intrepidity; its pilot boats for their exquisite excellence and grace of model.

Finances.

The financial operations of the city are gigantic. In Wall street alone, daily, many millions of property in value, in various dealings, change hands: in stocks, in discounts and deposits, in payments, in exchanges, and pass out of, and into it.

Emigration.

It is the great breakwater for emigration. Here multitudes arrive from all parts of the world—hundreds of thousands within the year; and, for the care of these strangers, the Commission of Emigration was instituted by a state law. The law strictly requires that a bond should be given by ship owners, that the passengers in their vessels should not become chargeable to the community of the city; and it allows a commutation, to be taken in lieu of the bond. Originally, this was eight dollars; it is now only seventy-

five cents. And that the emigrant should be protected, the Commission was instituted, consisting of ten Commissioners, who receive the commutation money, and apply it to the care and support of such emigrants as require aid, and to the furtherance of all of them to their place of final destination. For a detail as to this institution, see page 78.

Constitutions—City Charter.

Within the last fifty years two successive constitutions of the State, one in 1823, and the other in 1846, have been adopted, and the former one has been abolished. Several successive changes and amendments of the City Charter, one in 1830, one in 1849, one in 1851, and one in 1853, besides others, have been adopted.

City and County as now.

The city and county of New York, as now defined by law, are co-extensive. Both the city and county include the whole of this island, and Blackwell's, Ward's and Randall's Island, besides. In arrangement, laws and government, they present a complex system.

County Organization.

The officers of the county are the Recorder, City Judge, and other judges of the County Courts, the District Attorney and his Assistant, the Sheriff and his Deputies, the Constables, the Coroners, the County Clerk, the Register, the Treasurer, the Assessors, the Tax Commissioners, the Receiver of Taxes, the Commissioner of Jurors, and the Commissioners of Deeds. These are recognized to form part of the organic system of the State; and the Board of Supervisors, composed of the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen, have charge of the property of the county, attend to its management, disburse its necessary expenses, and direct the collection of its taxes. The Board of Supervisors is a county body, only; it appoints its own chairman and clerk. Yet, by a law, usually passed at every yearly session of the legislature, it is authorized to raise and direct the collection not only of the state and county tax, but the city tax also; the tax of the state being paid to the state authorities, the county tax to the Treasurer of the County, and the City tax to the Chamberlain of the City.

The Board, by law, appoints the Receiver and Commissioner of Taxes; and in conjunction with the Judges of the Superior Court and of the Court of Common Pleas, appoints the Commissioner of Jurors. The taxes raised for county purposes are usually for the payment of the compensation to county officers; for court houses, jails, prisons, and roads, and maintaining them; the expenses of election, of the collection of taxes, of courts, and the administration of justice. Yet, the Aldermen, each of whom is a city officer, are members of that county body, and is, *ex officio*, a county magistrate.

The Mayor is the chief city officer; yet, is a member of the Board of Supervisors, and *ex officio*, a county magistrate. The Recorder is a county officer, and as such, is the presiding judge of the criminal courts,



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cor. of Thames & Temple Sts

and a magistrate; is one of the commission to select grand jurors, as well as a member of the Board of Supervisors; yet, *ex officio*, is a member of the Sinking Fund, and a Commissioner of Police—both city officers. He is also, *ex officio*, a director of the Manhattan Company. The Chamberlain is a city officer; yet, *ex officio*, is Treasurer of the County. There are four Coroners, and three Commissioners of Taxes.

City Organization.

The city of New York, is, as before mentioned, divided into twenty-two wards, and sixty districts. An Alderman represents each ward; a Councilman each district. The twenty-two aldermen form the Board of Aldermen. They appoint one of their members their President, and appoint their Clerk, (who is, *ex officio*, clerk of the Common Council,) and their Sergeant-at-arms; the clerk is allowed subordinate clerks. The sixty councilmen form the Board of Councilmen. They appoint one of their members their President; their Clerk, who is allowed subordinates, and their Sergeant-at-arms. The Board of Aldermen and the Board of Councilmen form the Common Council. They have the legislative power for the municipal regulation of the city, subject to the veto power of the Mayor; his veto being liable to be overruled by the vote of the majority in each Board of all the members elected. They have the power of appointment of the Commissioners of Deeds, though these are county officers. They pass ordinances, subject to the like veto, for the payment of city liabilities and expenditures; those for appropriations of money being required to originate in the Board of Councilmen.

Board of Health.

The Mayor and Common Council compose the Board of Health, of which the Mayor is President. The presidents of the two Boards and the Health Officer, the Resident Physician, the Health Commissioner, and the City Inspector, are Health Commissioners, who, with the Mayor, are to render advice to the Board of Health. The health commissioner, city inspector, and resident physician, are city officers, appointed by the mayor, with the consent of the board of aldermen. The health officer is appointed by the Governor, with the advice of the senate; the city inspector, a city officer, by the people. The mayor, with the advice of the board of aldermen, appoints an inspector of vessels.

The duties of this board, and these officers, are to watch over the health of the city and port, and to conduct and attend to the business of the quarantine establishment. Their powers respectively, and their duties in detail, are defined in the Revised Statutes, ii. 816.

Mayor.

The Mayor is the chief executive officer of the city, and its head officer, with authority to execute the laws within its limits. He is a city officer, yet is *ex officio* a member of the Board of Supervisors, a county body; is

ex officio a member of the Commission of Emigration, a state institution; is a magistrate, a county officer. He is also *ex officio* a Commissioner of Police; a member of the Sinking Fund; a trustee of the Sailor's Snug Harbor, a voluntary and state trust; a trustee of the Watts' and Leake Asylum, also a voluntary and state trust; and a member of the Juvenile Asylum With the Recorder, the Chief Justice of the Superior Court, and the first Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, he is a Commissioner for the selection of Grand Jurors, a county service. The subordinate officers attached to his office, are mentioned at page 444.

The Comptroller.

The Comptroller is a city officer, having charge of collecting the taxes and revenues of the city, and managing its property, adjusting and auditing its accounts, and, on proper authority, disbursing its moneys. The warrant, signed by him, by the Mayor, and by the Clerk of the Common Council, being necessary in all cases; but not including moneys raised for county purposes.

The Chamberlain.

The Chamberlain is a city officer, having actual charge of the city funds, subject to be drawn by warrant as last mentioned, and having custody also of the cash in charge of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, subject to their drafts. He is *ex officio* also Treasurer of the County, and, as such, has charge of all funds raised for county purposes subject to the orders of the Board of Supervisors.

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The Mayor, Comptroller and Chamberlain, and the Chairman of the Finance Committee of each Board of the Common Council (city officers), and the Recorder (a county officer), compose the Commission of the Sinking Fund, which has charge of the city property and revenues. They are pledged to it, to secure the payment of the city debt. This pledge is sanctioned by a law of the state. The debt of the city, a principal part of which is incurred for the Croton Water Department, is now $8,406,136 03, beyond the amount for its redemption held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. The property pledged for its redemption, besides the public buildings and property, consists of a large amount of property not in public use. See page 184.

County Authorities.

The county authorities, which are part of the organic arrangement of the state, are—

Fiscal Department.

1. *The Fiscal Department*—The Board of Supervisors above mentioned, and its subordinates, viz:

1. The Ward Assessors and the Board of Assessors—forty-four members.
2. The three Commissioners of Taxes, and four clerks.
3. The Receiver of Taxes, six clerks, besides five temporary clerks.
4. The County Treasurer.

Judiciary.

II. *The Judiciary Department*—

First—The Courts.

1. The Supreme Court, as applicable to the county, five judges and its clerk, the county clerk and nineteen subordinates.
2. The Superior Court, six judges, clerk, and six subordinates.
3. The Common Pleas, three judges, clerk, and six subordinates.
4. The Marine Court, three judges and one clerk.
5. The eight District Courts, and their clerks.
6. The General and Special Sessions, two judges, and their clerks.
7. The Oyer and Terminer.
8. The eight Police Justices, and their clerks.
9. The Surrogate, and his six clerks.

Executive and Auxiliary.

Second—The executive and auxiliary officers of courts.

1. The District Attorney, and his assistant.
2. The Sheriff, and twelve deputies.
3. The four Coroners, and their clerk.
4. The Commissioner of Jurors, and two clerks.
5. Forty-four Ward Constables.
6. Such of the Police force as, from time to time, are described.

Recording.

III. *The Recording Department*—The Register, and twenty-nine subordinates.

Besides the above, there are Commissioners of Deeds, appointed by the Common Council, who have power to administer oaths, to take affidavits to be read in the state courts, and to take acknowledgments of deeds. And also Notaries, appointed by the Governor and Senate.

Within the fifty years past, the judiciary has been subjected to many changes. The court of chancery, and the mayor's courts, and ward courts, are abolished. The supreme court, and other courts, unite what was law and equity—the last constitution abolished the old distinction. The supreme court has no longer the appointment of its clerks—the county clerk, *ex officio*, is its clerk The superior court has been created; the common pleas is the successor of the mayor's court—its jurisdiction, and that of the marine court, are increased. The district courts have been created. The jurisdiction of the court of sessions has been extended, and a city judge, as co-ordinate to the recorder, added to it. The power of the alder-

men to sit there taken away. An assistant to the district attorney is added, and is by him appointed. His district formerly extended over several counties; now it is limited to this county. For the further details of these courts and their officers, see page 76.

City Authorities.

The city authorities, as now organized, consist—

I. Of the mayor, and his subordinate clerks and officers, and the co-ordinate and subordinate departments He is the head officer of the city government; its chief magistrate and executive officer, to enforce the laws of the state and the city ordinances within the city limits. He has the power of veto in the legislation of the common council, as above-mentioned. He yearly, and as much oftener as he may deem needful, makes such communication to the Common Council as places them in possession of the knowledge of the condition of the city, its property, finances, wants and difficulties, and such additional facts as may be important. And to enable him, and the Common Council, and the public, to possess the current knowledge of the affairs of the city, the various other departments of the city make to the Common Council yearly, or oftener if required, and to have, when required, reports of the condition, proceedings and wants of their respective departments, with fiscal statements, if required. His clerks and officers are as follows:

The Common Council.

II. The Common Council, composed as above mentioned. This body has the legislative power, subject to the veto and restrictions above stated. They have power to pass such ordinances for the good order of the city, and such resolutions in regard to the city property, and to appropriate money (the appropriation originating in the Board of Councilmen), as are compatible with the laws They have power, under certain restrictions, to direct further proceedings for the opening, widening and grading of streets, on application made to them. Their officers are, the clerk of the Common Council and his eight subordinates, including the sergeant-at-arms; and the clerk of the Board of Councilmen and his six subordinates, including the sergeant-at-arms.

Board of Health.

III. The Board of Health, consisting of the Mayor and Common Council, as above-mentioned; and the Commissioners of Health, above-mentioned, and their subordinates; at the Staten Island Hospital and the Quarantine; and twenty-two Health Wardens in the city. The scavengers are under the direction of the City Inspector. Indeed, some or other of his duties refer to all things having reference to the public health. He keeps a register of births and deaths, and reports the latter weekly. The number of deaths in the city average 443 per week; of marriages, 80 per week; and of births, 300 per week.

Board of Education.

IV. The Board of Education is composed of forty-four commissioners—two from each ward—who appoint one of their members president, and appoint a clerk. They have the power of directing, the management of the department, the disbursement of moneys, the appointment of subordinates, and to fix their salaries. Also, to determine the estimate of amount to be raised by taxation. The Mayor, Recorder, Comptroller, and Presidents of the two Boards of the Common Council, are commissioners to examine the estimate, and send it back for reconsideration; but if thereupon the board adhere to their estimate, the supervisors must raise the amount in each ward. There are also eight trustees for each ward—total, 176. And in each ward two inspectors—total, 44.

A List.

The Free Academy, which is a part of this department, contains twenty-two professors, including the president. The teachers in the ward schools are very numerous—see a detail thereof, at page 215. The commissioners, inspectors and trustees are elected in the several wards.

Alms-house Department.

V. The Alms House Department is governed by ten governors, elected in classes by the people, two every year—the term of each being five years. They have under their charge the following sub-departments and institutions, viz:

1. The department of the out-door poor; that is, those who receive aid or relief, at their homes in the winter season.

2. The City Prison; usually comprising upward of three hundred and forty inmates.

3. The Bellevue Hospital, at the foot of Twenty-sixth street, on the East river, for the sick poor of the city. This now usually numbers over five hundred patients. An excellent medical staff is attached to it

4. The Asylum on Blackwell's Island for pauper lunatics. This establishment numbers about six hundred patients.

5. The Work-house. This embraces about eight hundred inmates.

6. The Alms-house proper. This includes about twelve hundred and fifty persons.

7. The Penitentiary; for the confinement of those guilty of misdemeanors; principally petit larceny, vagrancy, and assault and battery. This contains about five hundred convicts.

8. The Small Pox Hospital, just finished, forty-five inmates

9. The Potter's Field, on Ward's Island, for the burial of the poor and the strangers

10. The Colored Orphan Asylum.

It will be perceived that these institutions are not only those which are eleemosynary, but include the prisons also. The intent as to all, however, is philanthropic; and so, it proves, even to large numbers of the poor creatures, who are imprisoned for offences of the description above mentioned.

These institutions are all in excellent order. The Governors of this department appoint their subordinate officers, which are very numerous; purchase their supplies, disburse all moneys, and exclusively govern and manage the department. They make yearly estimates of the money required for the department, and apply for the raising of the same by tax, by the Supervisors, as is the case with the Board of Education, subject to revision by the same officers, and to its being returned for reconsideration, but if then the Governors adhere, it is in like manner binding. For a fuller detail of this department see page 66.

The Fire Department.

VI. The force of this department, is above stated at page 438. The members of this department elect their engineers. The members are appointed by the Common Council. They are exempt from jury duty. It has its public yard at No. 23 Elizabeth street. For the convenience of the force, the city is divided into eight fire districts, for the details of which see page 156; and certain companies of the force assigned to do duty in each district, unless in cases of emergency. The details of this department will be found on page 154. All fines for fires, unlawful construction of buildings, and the proceeds of powder forfeited, belong to the benevolent fund of this department.

The Police Department.

VII. This department consists of a Chief of Police, and his clerk; of twenty-two captains; twenty-two first lieutenants; twenty-two second lieutenants, and ten hundred and ninety-seven men; besides, the three Commissioners, being the Mayor, Recorder and City Judge, who, with the Chief of Police, prescribe the rules for its government, make appointments of the force and try all delinquents for offences committed by them, of duty or of the rules. For the purposes of this department each ward is a police districts, and in each ward is a station-house. The men appointed must be residents of the ward for which they are appointed at least two years previous to their appointment. This force is always on duty. The men are uniformed, and are carefully disciplined. In each district there are usually four sergeants, and various detailments of the men from the different districts, for general or particular service, are made. These include the service required at the Mayor's office, in the Criminal Courts, and at the ferries and other public landings. The efficiency of this arm of the city government, especially in the prevention as well as detection of crime, is all important. For the laws establishing, and in relation to this department and the details in reference to it, see pages 79 and 110.

This, though a city department, supported from the city treasury, and, with the exception of the Recorder and City Judge, governed by city officers, yet, in fact, in its operation and duties, is a county function; also, its force being, subject to be, and are drawn upon for aid upon the criminal county courts and authorities. Of this department, the Mayor is the head executive officer; and the Chief of Police is the next officer in command.

The latter, by law, is one of the four Commissioners for prescribing and establishing rules and regulations. Whole force of this department about twelve hundred persons.

The Croton Aqueduct Department.

VIII. This department is governed by a board of officers, consisting of the President, Commissioner and Chief Engineer, who are appointed by the Mayor, with the consent of the Common Council; and they appoint their subordinates, now consisting of seventeen persons, permanently; besides the out door persons employed on contract and labor. This department has charge of the Croton water works, to maintain and keep the same in repair, to erect new works, when authorized, including the sewers of the city, and to collect the rents and revenues of the department.

The works of this department may be said to be gigantic, and the benefit from them to the city inestimable. The Aqueduct is made of brick, from the Croton, about thirty miles. The High Bridge, made over the Harlem river, to conduct the water to the island, is a structure at once excellent, in material and strength and proportion, and located as it is, in a romantic scene, is an elegant object to contemplate. A large reservoir at Eighty-sixth street, and a smaller, though one of great strength and magnitude, is at Forty-second street. The water is thence, by means of the iron pipes above-mentioned, distributed through the city, conferring a security for health, happiness and convenience, a blessing of purity and use beyond all price. And it is delivered in abundance, not only as an indispensable and sweet beverage, but as an agent of health, convenience, beauty and cleanliness. Throughout the houses of every inhabitant, in every story, are baths and taps arranged, with such convenience, that by a trifling movement, this kind friend is at hand and flowing, whether for bathing, washing, or allaying thirst. On every square does it flow forth when required, in various forms, sparkling in the sun and in all the brilliant beauty of its own purity. Commerce is aided by it essentially, for by it the shipping, resorting to the port, can, and are easily supplied with it in abundance. Factories, where steam is used, are multiplied in the city by reason of its extraordinary and easy assistance. It is open to the poor and thus the irritableness of penury is at least, in this rich blessing, mitigated. It is indeed an everlasting honor to the city. The cost of this work, thus far, is upward of twelve millions of dollars. Its revenue, the past year, is about $675,000. The water pipes now laid in the city, equal in length two hundred and forty-nine miles. The sewers made now in the city, are equal to upward of one hundred and thirty-eight miles in length. For the conducting of the business of this and other departments conveniently, the duties are distributed into divisions, which are called Bureaux, (offices.) This department, besides its general office, has a Bureau of Water Rents, and a Bureau of Pipes and Sewers. For a detail of this department, see page 199.

The Finance Department.

IX. This department is governed by the Comptroller and his subordi-

nates. His subordinates now consist of fourteen persons. The Receiver of Taxes is classed as the head of a bureau of this department; but he is appointed by the Mayor, with the consent of the Board of Supervisors, and is a county officer. He appoints his subordinates, with the consent of the Board of Supervisors. The Chamberlain and his clerk are classed as the head of a bureau in this department. He is appointed by the Mayor, with the consent of the Common Council. To this department there is a Bureau of Arrears, consisting of three persons; of City Revenue, consisting of one person; of the City Hall and Park, consisting of one person. The Bureau of Taxes, above mentioned, consisting of the Receiver and six subordinates, besides temporary clerks, and the Bureau of Deposits and Disbursements, consisting of the Chamberlain and his clerk. Total force of this department twenty-one persons. For a fuller detail see page 61

The Street Department.

X. This department has control of the grading, opening, widening and arranging of streets, and building of wharves, when authorized or directed so to do; the keeping of pavements and wharves in repair; the enforcement of the ordinances relative to the streets and wharves; and the collection of assessments. At the head of this department is the Street Commissioner. Its bureaux are, one of assessments; one of the collection of assessments; one of wharves; one of lands and places, and one of surveyors. The whole force of this department, including the Street Commissioner and twenty-four Surveyors, is forty persons.

The Department of Repairs and Supplies.

This department has charge of the roads, (which is, in fact, a county matter,) of the erection, repairs to, and supplies of every description, to public buildings; of paving the streets, and of supplies to the Fire Department. A Commissioner of Repairs and Supplies is at the head of this department. To this department there is one bureau of Roads; one of Public Buildings; one of Streets Paving, and one of supplies for the Fire Department. Force to this department, besides workmen and contractors, are eight persons.

Streets and Lamps.

XII. Department of Streets and Lamps.

This department has charge of lighting the city, and of furnishing posts and lamps; of cleaning the streets, superintending the business of the markets, and of inspecting weights and measures. For each of these duties it has a bureau. The head of this department is the Commissioner of Lamps and Gas. The force of this department is twenty-four persons. For details, see page 64.

City Inspector.

XIII. The Department of the City Inspector.

The duties of his office, and his connection with the Board of Health,

are above mentioned and referred to. His force, now including himself and twenty-two health wardens, are twenty-eight persons. See page 66.

Law Department.

XIV. The Law Department, at the head of which is the Counsel of the Corporation. With this department are, besides, the Department of the Corporation Attorney and that of the Public Administrator, both of which officers are appointed by the counsel, with the consent of the Common Council. He, the counsel, when required, is the adviser of the city authorities, prosecutes and defends suits for the city, and prepares its conveyances, and attends to its conveyancing business generally, and the proceedings for opening and widening streets. The Corporation Attorney attends, by suit or otherwise, to the collection of fines, for violation of the laws or ordinances of the city, and the Public Administrator takes charge of, and administers upon, estates to which there is no administrator. The force of this department is nine persons. See page 70.

The Common Council is the legislative department; all the others are executive departments. The heads of the bureaux of the departments, except that of the Police, and the Alms-house and School departments, are appointed by the heads of departments, with the consent of the Common Council; the subordinates of bureaux by the heads of bureaux.

Council of Appointment.

The Council of Appointment, which once existed, has been abolished, and the charter has been changed. Now, the state officers, including notaries, are appointed by the governor, with consent of the Senate. All the city and county officers, except those whose appointments are otherwise, as above mentioned, are elected by the people.

Public Buildings and their Occupants.

The public buildings in the city, now, are—

1. The Custom-house and Assay Office, of the United States.
2. The five buildings in the Park, of the city.
1. The City Hall, in which are—
 1. The Mayor's office.
 2. The Governor's rooms.
 3. The City Library.
 4. The Chamber of the Aldermen.
 5. That of the Councilmen.
 6. The Clerk of the Common Council offices.
 7. That of the Clerk of the Councilmen.
 8. The offices of the Chief of Police.
 9. That of the Commissioner of Repairs and Supplies.
 10. Those of the Collector of Assessments.
 11. The Sheriff's office.
 12. Those of the County Clerk.
 13. Those of the Clerk of the Superior Court.

14. The Court Rooms of the Common Pleas.
15. The office of the Clerk of that Court.
16. The rooms of the Keeper.

2. The Hall of Records, in which are—
 1. The offices of the Surrogate.
 2. Those of the Register.
 3. Those of the Comptroller.
 4. Those of the Street Commissioner.
3. The building fronting on Chambers street, in which are—
 1. The office of the Receiver of Taxes.
 2. That of the Commissioner of Taxes.
 3. The Grand Jury room.
 4. The United States' Court rooms.
 5. The Court rooms and chambers of the Supreme Court.
 6. Those of the Marine Court and its Clerk.
 7. The court room of the Court of General Sessions.
 8. The offices of the Clerk of the Criminal Courts.
 9. he offices of the District Attorney.
4. The building at the corner of Centre street, in which are the court rooms of the Superior Court.
5. The Rotunda, in which are—
 1. The offices of the Alms-house Department.
 2. Those of the Croton Water Aqueduct Department.
3. The Halls of Justice and City Prison, in which are—
 1. A Police Court room.
 2. The court room of the Special Sessions.
 3. The offices of and the City Prison.
4. The Essex market and Prison, where are—
 1. A Police Court room.
 2. The Prison.
 3. The Market.
5. The Jefferson market and Prison, where are—
 1. The Prison.
 2. A Police Court.
 3. A District Court.
 4. The Market.
6. The Bellevue Hospital.
7. The various buildings on Blackwell's Island, viz.: the Asylum, Work-house, Alms-house, Penitentiary, and two hospitals.
8. The various buildings on Randall's Island.
9. Twenty Police Station-houses.
10. The Free Academy and school-houses.
11. The Fulton, Washington, Clinton, Tompkins, Essex, Jefferson and Centre markets, and Exchange market houses; in the two latter are police station-houses.
11. Engine, hose cart, and hook and ladder truck houses.

House of Refuge—Juvenile Asylum.

As auxiliary to the city and county government, are the Society for the Reformation of Juvenile Delinquents, and that of the Juvenile; both incorporations. The former, for reforming children who are convicted of criminal offences, and under eighteen years old; the latter, for securing the maintenance and promoting the condition of children under fourteen years of age, who may be in destitute circumstances. The former has a building on Randall's Island, and usually has about 1,000 inmates; the latter has a large building near the High Bridge, and a reception house in Thirteenth street; it usually has about 500 inmates. Both institutions bind out the children, when opportunity offers, and the children are of proper age, to persons who will educate them, and follow a respectable and useful profession.

Benevolent Institutions.

Besides the foregoing, the following benevolent institutions exist in the city:

1. The New York Hospital and its Asylum for Lunatics, at Bloomingdale. Both these buildings are substantial, and highly ornamental. Together, they usually have about one thousand inmates.
2. Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.
3. Institution for the Blind.
4. New York Asylum for Lying-in-Women.
5. New York Woman's Hospital.
6. Eye and Ear Infirmary.
7. St. Luke's Home for Indigent Christian Females.
8. American Female Guardian Society.
9. Association for Relief of Respectable Aged and Indigent Females.
10. Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum.
11. Roman Catholic Half-Orphan Asylum.
12. Association for the Benefit of Colored Orphans.
13. Colored Home.
14. Orphan Asylum.
15. Protestant Half-orphan Asylum.
16. Magdalen Female Benevolent Asylum.
17. House and School of Industry.
18. Seamen's Fund and Retreat.
19. General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen.
20. Hamilton Free School.
21. Mechanics' Society School.
22. Opthalmic Hospital.
23. New York Dispensary.
24. De Milt Dispensary.
25. Northern Dispensary.
26. Eastern Dispensary.
27. North Western Dispensary.
28. Prison Association.

There are, also, the Bible Society, and various other religious societies, to an extent in number of great magnitude.

Scientific and Literary.

There are, also, the Historical Society, an incorporation numbering several hundred members; the Astor Library, recently established; the Mercantile Library, at what was formerly the Opera House; the Astor Library, in Lafayette place; and the New York Society Library, now located in a new building in University place. All these library associations possess many thousand volumes of choice and well selected books. There is also the library of the Law Institute, and the Corporation Library of the City Hall. There is also the College of Physicians and Surgeons; and, besides Columbia College, is the University of Washington square, a college of great excellence and eminence. The above institutions, together with that of the common free schools, all tending and aiding in the promotion of learning and science, are manifestations of a great improvement therein, and of a high appreciation of these acquisitions.

The Society Library, within the fifty years, not only sold out their building in Nassau street, and built an excellent and appropriate building on Broadway, but sold the latter at a high profit, and have located and built a new building in University place, where they now abide.

Newspapers.

The newspapers in New York, now published, are the Courier and Enquirer, the Journal of Commerce, the Morning and Evening Express, the New York Times, the Herald, the Evening Mirror, the Evening Post, the Tribune, the Daily News, the Commercial Advertiser, and the Day Book—all daily papers; the Mercury, Atlas, Sunday Times, Courier and Herald—Sunday papers; the Home Journal, a weekly paper, and many others, most of which are weekly.

Booksellers.

The booksellers in New York are the Messrs. Harpers, in Pearl street; Appleton, who occupies the last building in Broadway, of the Society Library; C. S. Francis & Co., R. Lockwood, Stamford & Swords, Banks, Gould & Co., Voorhies, Dcopary, Halsted, Wiley, and others.

Ship Yards.

The ship yards, now, are not only on this side the river, above Corlaer's Hook, but are established also on the opposite shores, on Long Island.

Commerce.

In the commercial character of the people, the city and port of New York justly stands eminently well. Its Chamber of Commerce, whose history is well worth a perusal, presents a long line of intelligence and mercantile probity. At its Exchange, which is a structure of magnitude and strength, assemble daily, persons from all parts of the civilized world, and business to a mammoth size is there transacted.

Jurisprudence.

In jurisprudence, its bar stands high in universal estimation. The decision of its courts, on international, maritime, and commercial as well as municipal law, are read with interest in every civilized country, and numerous are those of its members, who are distinguished for powerful abilities and high virtues.

The members of its medical profession, for great ability, learning, accomplishment and probity, are justly respected and esteemed; and the medical schools are in high reputation.

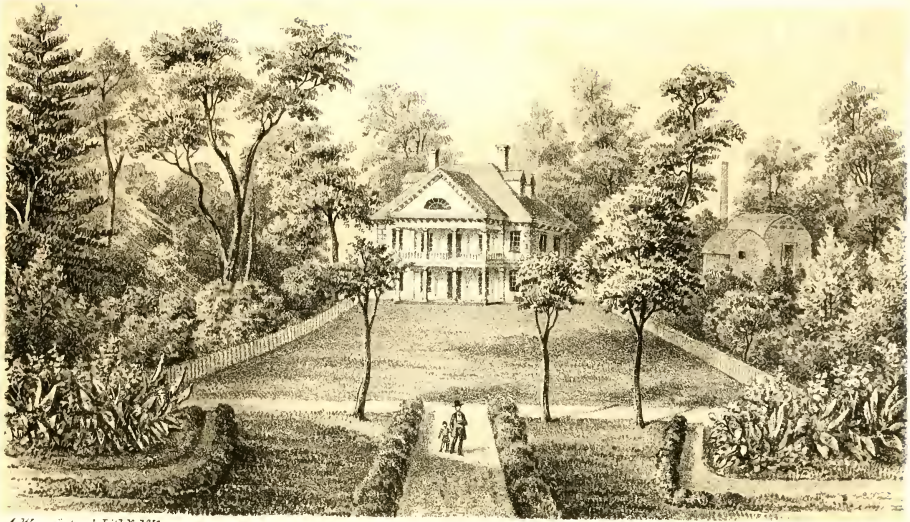
In truth, the city of New York, though less than two hundred and fifty years have intervened since the discovery of the island on which it is now, whether for learning, literature, or science, is a city of wonderful power, enterprise, energy, and wealth; indeed, in every aspect—in commerce, in industry, in the dissemination of useful and valuable learning, in luxury, in the mechanic arts, in benevolence. In the city institutions, upward of seven thousand persons are maintained daily at the city expense; by the benevolent institutions, a far greater number. The emigrant and the stranger are munificently aided. In winter, the labor of charity is incessant. Institutions paid for disease, for sustenance, for reformation, for industry, are to be found incessantly engaged in their beneficent exertions. In its multitudes of men of affluence, its multitudes of persons in all conditions, in its ever-varying multitudes of strangers, in its multitude of costly and splendid buildings, its amount of comforts, in its ever-changing forms and arrangements, its ever-advancing improvements, its great public works of convenience, use, and health; its increase in population from all parts of the United States, from all parts of the civilized world, it is a metropolis unsurpassed. Its banks appear to hold the purse strings of a large part of the world. Its merchants seem to control the best of the world's commerce.

Its mechanics direct the labor of immense numbers. The laborer has the power to secure good wages. Money and industry are both in action for all good purposes. Misery, as well as opulence, in all forms, come to it. The emigrant and the poor, for direction and employment; the rich, for enjoyment and pleasure; the enterprising, for adventure; and the ambitious, for renown. Poor there are in it; but few, very few, remain so; and those who are such permanently, are generally so from infirmity or incorrigible vice—for, industry is in demand, and frugality added to it, soon places most above want. The scientific, the literary, and the artisan, too, can find full employment and enjoyment. Useful knowledge and intelligence is within reach of all; and all soon, with few exceptions, obtain a fair share of it. The whole population appear to be busy and in action. Drones and idle people are in the way. Take it all in all, and it is, indeed, "a Queen City," destined to be one whose position will be yet more extraordinary among the cities of the earth.

The British took possession in the year 1664, and retained it till November 25, 1783. Its afflictions in past times, though not numerous, have been severe. The war of the revolution tried it severely, and retarded its

progress for about eight years. It was, during most of the time of that struggle, in the hands of the British; and not only suffered from the devastation of war, but from heavy fires. The war of 1812, with the same nation, previous to which Castle William, on Governor's Island, and Castle Garden, (now the emigrant depot,) at the Battery, and other forts, were erected, tended to retard its progress. The second war began in June, 1812, and closed in the beginning of 1815.

The successive yellow fevers of 1793, 1803, and 1821, and the cholera in after times, and the heavy fires of 1835 and 1845, have subjected it to much suffering and injury. These have passed away as transient misfortunes, which it has prosperously survived. Indeed, those past events have caused the establishment of institutions of cure and precaution, which probably will save it hereafter from such awful visitations to a material degree, if not altogether.



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THE RED SEA MEN.

The spirit of gain and accumulation, which is the intrinsic nature of commercial adventure, was nowhere more essentially evinced, or more energetically prosecuted, in all imaginable directions, than in America, in its early period of settlement by the whites. The American seas were always the theatre of bold enterprise; and being, in a measure, at the period of which we are about to speak, remote from the influence of those principles which the laws and social restraints throw about the people of old and well established communities, it is not much to be wondered at that this disposition to adventure led to the adoption of schemes of aggrandizement which must be deprecated and condemned The only excuse for such principles as we shall find obtained throughout the mass of our commercial community, is that they followed the natural current of the times in which they lived.

As it may serve to illustrate the principal object of this essay to give some account of the various classes of American adventurers who exercised an influence upon the commercial operations on the high seas, it may be well to distinguish, by their specific names, those classes who, from different circumstances, received distinctive appellations. The name of *Buccaneer* was peculiar to the adventurous settlers on the Spanish West India Islands. They were natives of different European nations, but chiefly of Great Britain and France. They were mostly sea-faring people, who, being disappointed, by accidents or the enmity of the Spaniards, in their more sober pursuits in the West Indies, and also instigated by thirst for plunder as much as by desire for vengeance, embodied themselves, under different leaders, of their own choosing, to make predatory war upon the Spaniards. These men the Spaniards naturally treated as pirates; but some peculiar circumstances, which provoked their first enterprises, and a general feeling of enmity against the Spanish nation, on account of their American conquests procured the buccaneers the connivance of the other maritime states of Europe, and they were distinguished, first, by the softened appellations of *Free-booters*, (*Flibustiers*,) and *Adventurers;* and afterward, by that of *Buccaneers*. Among the English, the name of *Privateers* was generally adopted as their distinguishing title; and among the Dutch they were denominated by the more truthful designation of *Free-roovers;* the word roover signifying the joint sense of the English words rover and robber. These were the titles of those classes of free-booters who made the West Indies their place of rendezvous, and were the original body out of which grew the classes of illicit adventurers who

sent out their ships from New York and other places on the Atlantic coast. These latter, as will be found, obtained other titles, among which the most prominent was that of *Red Sea Men*, a name taken from the principal scene of their operations, on the eastern coast of Africa. There were, likewise, *South Sea Men*, who visited the sea and coast along the westerly margin of South America.

English and French settlers had endeavored to gain a footing in the Spanish West India Islands, but were driven away as fast as they established themselves. They, however, went to other parts, and pursued a profitable business in hunting the cattle which abounded in the islands, particularly those which were thinly settled. They set up establishments for curing meat, (whence their name of buccaneers, from *boucan*, signifying a curing-house,) and about the year 1630 had so greatly increased in numbers that they felt themselves in condition to organize for their security; and to that end they took possession of the small island of Tortuga, near Hispaniola. They built magazines there for the lodgment of their goods, and made that island their head-quarters, or place of general rendezvous in time of danger. In 1638 Tortuga was surprised by the Spaniards, and the inhabitants were put to the sword, during the absence of the garrison, on the chase, in Hispaniola.

From the hostility between the buccaneers and Spaniards all other European nations in the West Indies regarded the buccaneers as champions in the common cause, and the severities which had been exercised against them created less of dread than a spirit of vengeance. The numbers of the buccaneers were quickly recruited by volunteers of English, French and Dutch, from all parts, and both the occupations of hunting and cruising were pursued with more than usual eagerness.

The French and English Governors in the West Indies, influenced by the like feelings, either openly or by connivance, gave constant encouragement to the buccaneers. The latter were regarded as profitable to the colonies, on account of the prisoners they brought in, and even vanity had a share in their being countenanced. The French called them *Nos braves*, and the English speak approvingly of their unparalleled exploits. In the character given of a good French governor in the West Indies, he is praised for that besides encouraging the cultivation of lands, he never neglected to encourage the flibustiers. It was a certain means of improving the colony by "attracting thither the young and enterprising." As the cattle grew thinner in numbers, the vocation of the buccaneers was the more steadily turned to cruising, and they soon attained such great strength that several Spanish towns, both on the Continent and among the islands of the West Indies, submitted to pay them contribution. Many towns were plundered, and great cruelties were perpetrated by them. Among their adventures was an expedition against the towns of Maracaibo and Gibraltar, in the Gulf of Venezuela, which were taken by a body of six hundred and fifty buccaneers. The booty they obtained by the plunder and ransom of these places was estimated at four hundred thousand crowns. The barbarities practiced on the

prisoners could not be exceeded, one instance of which is related to be that the buccaneer leader. (L'Olonais,) put the whole crew of a Spanish ship, ninety men, to death, performing, himself, the office of executioner, by beheading them.

Morgan, a Welchman, in 1665, with a body of several hundred men, took and plundered the town of Puerto del Principe, in Cuba. He next, in 1668, took Porto Bello, one of the principal and best fortified ports be-nging to the Spaniards in the West Indies. He had under his command ly four hundred and sixty men, but not having revealed his design to y person, he came on the town by surprise, and found it unprepared. locking cruelties are related to have been committed in this expedition; long many others, it is said that a castle, having made more resistance an was expected, Morgan, after its surrender, shut up the garrison in it, l set fire to the magazines, destroying the castle and the garrison together. s success on this expedition attracted other adventurers, and Morgan dezvoused near Hispaniola, and was joined by a large force. In 1669 he ook Maricabo, and made booty of the value of about two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

In July, 1670, a treaty was concluded between Great Britain and Spain, made expressly with intent to terminate the buccaneer war, and of settling all disputes between the subjects of the two countries in America. From this period the countenance of the government was withdrawn, but it had been shown so many years that the spirit of free-booting had become inoculated in all the settlements of America, and the withdrawal of the government favor was even severely criticised among the good people as an innovation upon established rights. The buccaneers were not disposed to submit, and no sooner had the news of the treaty arrived among them, with the information that the government officials had been notified to proceed in the enforcement of severe penalties against them, than they hastily formed an organization, in anticipation of the measures of the government, and in December, 1670, Morgan assembled a fleet of thirty-seven vessels, manned by a force of over two thousand men, and set out against Panama. They took Chagres Castle, and on the 18th of January, 1671, he set forward, at the head of twelve hundred men, across the isthmus. Toward evening of the ninth day from their leaving Chagres, they came in sight of Panama. On the 27th of January, early in the morning, the Spaniards came out to meet them. In the battle which ensued the Spaniards made use of wild bulls, which they drove upon the buccaneers to disorder their ranks But the assailants were successful in the encounter, and before night were masters of the city. All that day they gave no quarter, either during the battle or afterward. Six hundred Spaniards fell. The buccaneers lost many men, but the number is not precisely known.

With a boat, which they found at Panama, Morgan captured several vessels. This opened a new prospect, and some of the buccaneers began to consult how they might quit Morgan and seek their fortunes on the *South Sea*, as the southern Pacific was called, whence they proposed to

sail, with the plunder they should obtain, by the East Indies, to Europe. But Morgan, with an eye to protect his forces in an enemy's country, as he was then situated, prevented the consummation of this scheme, at that time, by destroying the vessels.



PORTRAIT OF MORGAN.

On the 24th of February Morgan and his men departed from the ruins of Panama, taking with them one hundred and seventy-five mules, laden with spoil, and six hundred prisoners, some to carry burthens, and others for whom ransom was expected. On arriving at Chagres a division of the plunder was made. The result was unsatisfactory to the common men, and Morgan's companions, even those of his own nation, complained of his proceedings, for they judged it impossible that of so many valuable robberies no greater share should belong to them than two hundred dollars per head. The dissatisfaction was so great that Morgan thought it prudent to leave the command clandestinely, and went, secretly, on board his own ship, and put out to sea without giving notice, being followed only by three or four vessels of the whole fleet, who, it was believed by those that were deserted, went shares with him in the greatest part of the booty.

When Morgan returned to the West Indies, he contemplated new expeditions, but by that time orders had arrived to enforce the late treaty with Spain, and he was obliged to relinquish his plan.

But whenever Spain was at war with any other European power, adventurers of any country found no difficulty in procuring commissions, as privateers, to war against the Spaniards, with which commission, and carrying

aloft the flag of the nation hostile to Spain, they assumed that they were lawful enemies, and they were allowed in the ports of neutral nations, which benefited by being made the mart of the buccaneers' prize-goods; and the buccaneers thought themselves well recompensed in having a ready market and the security of the port.

It was under the privileges thus afforded, that the *South Sea* men organized their several expeditions destined to operate on the west coast of America. In 1680 a fleet of seven vessels, manned by about three hundred and fifty men, mostly of the English nation, and several of them hailing from New York, departed for the South Pacific. They gained a victory over several Spanish vessels, and among others, they took the Trinidad, a ship of four hundred tons, which was afterward the flag ship of the squadron.

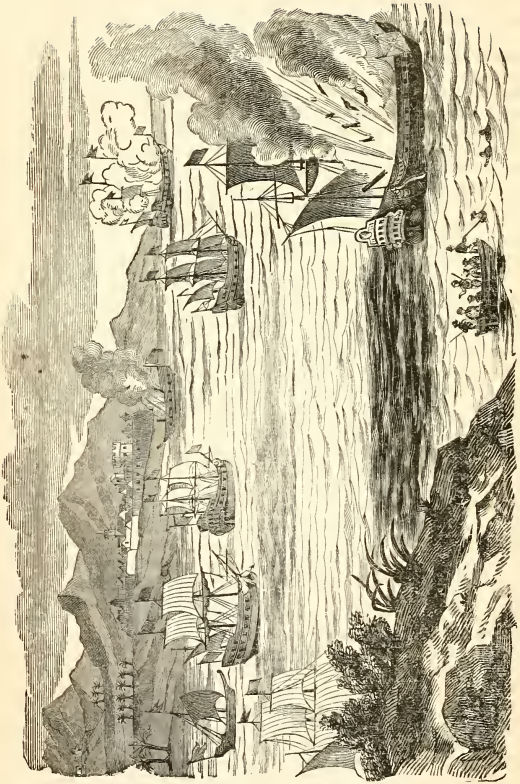
With their fleet they blockaded Panama, and took a large number of vessels of great value. They soon after went down the coast and ravaged the villages, receiving enormous sums in ransom and plunder.

After rounding Cape Horn, they arrived at Barbadoes on 28th January, 1682. They found the English authorities on the look-out for them, and several of the crew wer earrested, and one of them hanged The others of the crew escaped, and found their way to New York and other English ports on the American coast, where they were not long in finding employment in various maritime adventures, scarcely less reprehensible than those in which they had been recently engaged.

The lenity with which the character of the buccaneers was regarded, cannot be better exemplified than by referring to the circumstance, that in the autumn of 1680, the Earl of Carlisle, who had been the Governor of the British Island of Jamaica, finding the climate did not agree with him, returned to England, and left, as his deputy to govern in Jamaica, Morgan the plunderer of Panama, but who was now Sir Henry Morgan. This man, having found favor with King Charles II., or with his ministers, had been knighted and appointed a Commissioner of the Admiralty Court in Jamaica. On becoming Deputy Governor, however, his administration was far from being favorable to his old associates, some of whom suffered the extreme hardship of being tried and hanged under his authority; and one crew of buccaneers, most of them Englishmen, who fell into his hands, he sent to be delivered up to the Spaniards at Carthagena.

The second expedition to the *South Sea* set sail from the Chesapeake Bay in 1683 They were composed of many of the old buccaneers, who, having left the West Indies on account of the severe proceedings taken against them there, had directed their course to the northern ports, as before-mentioned. This party remained on the western coasts of North and South America, pillaging the towns and capturing vessels until June, 1687, when they returned by different routes.

Whilst these matters were passing in the Pacific Ocean, small progress was made in the reform which had been begun in the West Indies. The English Governors, by a few examples of severity, restrained the English buccaneers, from undertaking any enterprise of magnitude. With the



SPANISH ARMADA.

French the case was different. The number of them who left Hispaniola for the South Sea, alarmed the French government for the safety of their colonies, and especially Hispaniola, the security of which against the Spaniards, had almost wholly rested on its being a place of residence and the home of these adventurers. To persist in a rigorous police against their cruising, it was apprehended, would make them quit Hispaniola, for which reason it was judged prudent to relax in the enforcement of the prohibition. The *Flibustiers* accordingly continued their courses as usual. But soon after, (in 1686) a measure was adopted by the French Government, which certainly trenched on the honor of the regular military establishment of France, but was attended with success in bringing the *Flibustiers* more under control, and making them more manageable. This was the taking into the King's service some of the principal leaders of the *Flibustiers*, and giving them commissions in the army and navy. These newly honored officers became, like Morgan, a great scourge to their former companions

In consequence of the complaints made by the Spaniards, a proclamation was issued in 1687 by the King of Great Britain, James II., specified in the title to be "for the more effectual reducing and suppressing of PIRATES AND PRIVATEERS in America, as well on the sea as on the land, who in great numbers have committed frequent robberies, which hath occasioned great prejudice and obstruction to trade and commerce."

In the year 1688, war broke out in Europe between the French and Spaniards; and in a short time the English joined the Spanish against the French. This war continued nearly to the end of King William's reign—and, during that time, New York became the principal headquarters of the privateers and adventurers from Europe and other parts; and it is at this era that the local portion of this essay is designed to commence.

The first adventure of which we find mention, in connection with the business of privateering during the French war, is that of Capt. Petersen, which, although not directly fitted out at New York, yet, after the cruise, the adventurers sought that city as a place of refuge, and the harboring of them was made a subject of correspondence between the provincial governments of Canada and New York. Petersen commanded a barque of twenty-two guns, and seventy men. They sailed for the mouth of the St. Lawrence, and on their way took a barque of Monsieur St. Casteen, which was coming from Quebec, laden with provisions and merchandise, to the value of £500. By the persons taken captive in that vessel, they learned of a large ship in the vicinity, and taking their captives as pilots they manned their boats, and about ten o'clock at night they came in sight of the ship. Upon boarding her, no one appeared on deck until Petersen fired his pistol, when the master came out of the cabin with his cane, supposing his men had been quarreling. Petersen commanded him before the mast, as he did the men who came upon deck. The ship was about 300 tons burthen, manned with twenty-five men. The following day, the governor of the French fort of Chebocoton, which lay at a few leagues' distance, came, with a few

others, to visit the ship; but the doctor of Petersen's crew met them in a boat, on their way, and fired at them; whereupon they asked quarter, which was given them—but they were commanded on board the ship where they were detained as prisoners. On the same night, Petersen, with a part of his crew, went ashore, and took the fort—the soldiers being asleep. They plundered it of arms, Indian goods, provisions, wines and brandy; but, upon the earnest request of the governor, they left them some provisions and did not spike the guns, having the charity to leave these for the protection of the garrison against the Indians. Petersen afterward took a vessel of about thirty tons, laden with provisions and merchandise; and having victualled for a year, and recruited to the number of one hundred from French volunteers, Petersen gave out that he was bound for the gold coast; but it is found, as before stated, that his men soon after discovered in New York, where they presently found employment in congenial adventures.

The first privateer commissioned by the government of New York, which is found to have turned from the legalized capture of enemy's property to the more profitable one of piracy upon the commerce of friendly nations, is *William Mason*, who received his commission in 1689, authorizing him "to sail for Quebec in Canada, to war as to his wisdom should seem meet, and to assault, and destroy as much as in him lay, the French interests in Canada, and to seize and make prize of all goods on shore, and vessels at sea belonging to the French king or to Frenchmen, and to kill, slay and injure the people of that nation in any way possible." Several vessels similarly commissioned sailed from New York about the same time, with instructions to act under Mason as their admiral. Some of these vessels were successful in the design of crippling the enemy's commerce, and brought in several French prizes to the port of New York, which were regularly condemned in the admiralty, and there is no reason to suspect the government, then in power, (Leisler's administration,) of any design to countenance any but the recognized system of war. But Mason himself, being less successful in obtaining prize money on the American coast, pushed his adventure to a distant region then but little known to the commercial world except to slave traders, and cruised along the eastern coast of Africa, near the island of Madagascar, in the Arabian gulf, and in the Red Sea.

This part of the world was little visited by European traders—the slave trade, which was the principal source of foreign commerce in that region, being confined to the merchants of America. The license, however, which the history of maritime adventure in the new world had thrown around the principles of the wild and reckless class of men who sought their fortunes upon the American seas, was not to be restrained by the ordinary rules of morality; and as, in this region, there was a carrying trade of limited extent carried on by the British East India Company, and also an extensive coast commerce between the Asiatics, who were without sufficient government protection, a fair field of profitable enterprise here held out a tempt-

ing bait to the rovers. Accordingly, Mason turned pirate, and made private war upon East India commerce, from which he reaped large sums of Arabian gold and filled his ship with East India goods. As to his subsequent personal history nothing is known. But it is found that, at the termination of their cruise, *Edward Coats* had succeeded to the command of the ship; and a division of spoil, amounting to eighteen hundred pieces of eight, having been shared among the crew, they sailed for New York, and arrived off the east end of Long Island in April, 1693. They were cordially received and bounteously entertained by the people of that section, among whom they spent their money freely; but they were doubtful of the policy of coming to New York, as it was understood the British government had given orders to the colonial authorities to punish pirates with all the strictness that the law permitted. The current of popular sentiment, however, tended to their encouragement; and it was intimated that there were those in authority not indisposed to share a portion of the spoil, and to throw over their adventure the mantle of official protection. They accordingly made advances to Governor Fletcher, who had recently been appointed to the executive station in this province, and succeeded in procuring his favor. The inducements which, as it was afterward proved, operated upon the governor in this exercise of his functions, were large presents to his lady and daughter, a gift of the ship (which he sold for £800), and individual compliments from the seamen who were given protections, to the amount of one hundred dollars per man. It was not the governor alone, however, who was the beneficiary of these munificent adventures, as the members of his council were also extensively feed, and Coates afterward said that his exemption from prosecution was procured at the gross sum of £1,800.

As it was soon made known that, in New York, the needful sanctuary of adventurers (that of government protection) could be found, several very notorious characters found their way there—among others, Capt. *Thomas Tew*, who was well known as a pirate, and had been the subject of complaint to the British government by the East India Company. Tew first tried to procure a privateer's commission from the governor of Rhode Island, in which he was unsuccessful. He came to New York in November, 1694, having not long previously returned with great wealth from an East Indian voyage. He was received by Colonel Fletcher, upon terms of intimate companionship—was invited to his table—rode abroad with him in a coach drawn by six horses (a very unusual display in those primitive times)—gave elegant presents of jewels to the governor and his family, and received in return a gold watch, upon his promise to discharge his cargo in this port. Soon after which he departed, with a commission as privateer against the French in Canada river, and found his way directly to the Red Sea region, where he made his name still more notorious from his depredations upon East India commerce.

An adventure in which the merchants of New York seem to have been more directly implicated, was that connected with the privateering expe-

dition of one *John Hoare*, an Irishman by birth, who had previously been concerned in buccaneering in the West Indies. Finding an opening for enterprise in New York, which the stringent measures of the government at Jamaica had closed against him there. Hoare came to New York, where he applied for, and received the usual commission, from Governor Fletcher, to act against the French. He, however, openly avowed his destination for the Red Sea, and recruited for that service. After he had been absent about a year, twenty-two of the principal merchants of New York, who were, from the circumstances, supposed to have been privy to Hoare's design, sent from New York, a ship, called the Fortune, commanded by *Thomas Mostons*. The ostensible object of the vessel was the slave-trade, and she cleared for Madagascar; she was laden, however, with goods suitable for pirates, and her subsequent proceedings give color to the supposition that she was an adjunct to the expedition of *Hoare*. That individual had successfully pursued his piratical adventures in the Red Sea, and when the Fortune arrived at Madagascar, she found Hoare's ship there, filled with valuable plunder. The Fortune being the better vessel, the goods were immediately transferred to her, and with a part of Hoare's crew, she returned to New York, where she arrived in the summer of the year 1698. At that time, however, Governor Fletcher, whose dealings with pirates had been brought to the notice of the British Government, had been superseded by Lord Bellamont, whose instructions were particularly directed to the destruction of the illegal commercial adventures for which New York had become celebrated By hasty and secret efforts, in the night, the cargo of the Fortune was gotten on shore, and stowed in the house of one Van Sweeten, a merchant who was interested in the enterprise. Finding which, Bellamont commanded the civil officers to make seizure of the goods; the officers having the instructions made a formal seizure, and were about to take them from the premises for legal forfeiture, when nearly the whole body of merchants interposed, and proceeding to violence, they locked up the officers in the house, where, after being confined for three hours, they were only released by the approach of the Lieutenant Governor, with three files of men, who broke open the doors and set the officers at liberty. The ship Fortune was forfeited.

As these proceedings gave the merchants to understand that there was danger to their merchandise, if brought to New York, they found it expedient to adopt measures of precaution. It was about this time that Frederick Philipse, one of the council of the province, the richest man of that day in New York, expected a ship from Madagascar, and with a view to prevent her arrival in the port with contraband goods, subjecting her to forfeiture, he dispatched his son Adolphus in a vessel, ostensibly bound for Virginia. This vessel, however, cruised in the offing until the appearance of the expected ship, when she approached and discharged her of great quantities of East India goods, with which she sailed to Delaware, leaving the Madagascar ship to enter the port of New York with only negroes on board. The East India goods were afterward sent to Ham-

burg, where, however, the vessel in which they were carried was seized, and the men on board brought to trial.

Although we have not, by the foregoing summary of illegal adventures, fitted out at New York, given a full account of all those expeditions of a similar character during Governor Fletcher's administration, we have, we suppose, sufficiently demonstrated the fact that the administration of that official was calculated to foster and encourage the design which unscrupulous traders might entertain, of profiting by a species of traffic which could not properly receive the approval of any commercial nation and which, in however remote a portion of the British Colonies it might be carried on, yet must, eventually, attract the attention of government, from the complaints of the injured; and at this time the East India Company, (a British association,) made such representations to the government, of the depredations of the "Red Sea Men," upon their ships in the Indian Ocean, that inquiries were set on foot, and a number of the citizens of New York presented facts to the consideration of the authorities "at home" that induced a change of administration in New York; and in the early part of the year 1698, Richard Coote, Earl of Bellamont, arrived in New York with a commission to supersede Governor Fletcher.

It is proper, at this time, before we enter upon a history of the disputes between the merchants of New York and the governor during Bellamont's administration, to notice the character of the defensive position taken by the merchants against the charges in which they were implicated, of a support of piracy. While, by their opponents, (for the question assumed a political aspect, and became mixed up with the violent party disputes which existed at that period,) they were charged with direct responsibility in fitting out the "Red Sea Men." They were, by more moderate censors, held to be answerable for, at least, indirect encouragement and support, without which the pirates would have failed in driving a profitable species of adventure; for at this period, the public sentiment of the European nations had become steadily settled upon the suppression of the class, and their plunder could not readily find a market in any country where they would have a value, if it were not for the merchants, who by sending ships to the pirates purchased their cargoes, (at immense sacrifices from their value,) and under color of regular purchase, brought their goods to a ready mart. On the part of the merchants, they were high in their maintenance of the legitimacy of their trade; they contended that they were right in purchasing goods wherever found, and were not put upon inquiry as to the source from which they were derived. They asserted that the vessels sent out by them to Madagascar were engaged in the pursuit of regular commerce, (the slave trade,) and that they accidentally came upon the ships in that region with which they trafficked for the East India goods brought into this port. It seems probable, as to the facts, both parties were correct in different cases, and that while there were some of the New York merchants who were the actual originators of the piratical adventures, there were others, (and perhaps the greater number,) who were only

expectants of an accidental barter if they should chance to fall in with the rovers in the region to which the slave ships were destined. The results of four voyages of ships, which sailed for Madagascar, from this port, in July, 1698, illustrate, in a measure, this diversity of purpose. One of them, (of whom the principal proprietor was Mr. Stephen Delancey,) was the Nassau, Captain Giles Shelly. She was laden, on her outward passage, with strong liquors and gunpowder. On her arrival at Madagascar, she found on that island and at St. Mary's, about four hundred pirates waiting an opportunity to return to New York. She immediately disposed of her cargo, (selling rum which cost but two shillings a gallon for fifty shillings and three pounds per gallon; and pipes of Madeira wine, which cost here about nineteen pounds, for three hundred pounds,) and having taken on board a cargo of East India goods and slaves, and twenty-nine pirates, as passengers to New York, she immediately started on her return voyage The pirate passengers being afraid to come to New York, where Bellamont was actively engaged in prosecuting all he could lay hands on, the Nassau went into Delaware Bay, and landed fourteen of her passengers at Cape May, and the others were put of board a sloop, from which they were put ashore on the east end of Long Island, where they found a community of Friends. Those who were landed at Cape May were pursued, by order of the Governor of New Jersey, and six of them, with their property, were captured, and confessed that they had been on the coast of India, and had taken several prizes there. They stated that their number had paid for their passage home nearly twenty thousand dollars. The voyage of the Nassau was an exceedingly prosperous one, and netted her owners about thirty thousand pounds. Shelly, having secured the money and goods for his owners, ran his ship ashore near New York.

One of the other ships, which departed at the same time with the Nassau, and was laden with similar freight, met with a disastrous result; her whole voyage having been unlucky, and she finally, as will be seen from the perusal of the following journal of her supercargo, (John Cruger, then a young man, afterward one of the wealthiest merchants of New York, and for many years Mayor of the city.) We should judge, from this journal, that the objects of this ship were more legitimately directed toward the slave-trade, although it is possible she might have pursued similar objects with the Nassau, had she succeeded in reaching her destination. As it was, it will be perceived she fell a prey to New York pirates.

"An account of a voyage to Madagascar in the ship *Prophet Daniel*, Henry Appel, commander.

On the 15th of July, 1698, we weighed anchor, bound to the island of Don Mascaurena.

3d October.—We found ourselves under the island of St. Thomas, and went in to water, and to clean the ship.

4th October.—Captain Appel came on board, and told me he would not go on board again before certain of the people were out of the ship, and that I must find money to pay their wages; so that I was forced to sell

some rigging for such use, before Captain Appel would come on board. He left one man at this place, called Whiler, a very troublesome fellow.

7th October.—Sailed from St. Thomas.

20th February, 1699.—The captain and mates judged themselves to the leeward of the island Don Mascaurena.

Sunday, 13th July.—We arrived at Mattatana, (whither we had been obliged to turn our course,) and I went ashore to trade for negroes, but the harbor proving bad, we were forced to remove from that place, I having purchased fifty slaves at St. Mattatana.

24th August.—Arrived at Fort Dolphin.

24th August.—I acquainted Mr. Abraham Samuel, the King of that place, of my arrival, and came with him to a trade.

12th September.—I went with Mr. Samuel twenty-five miles up in the country, and on the second day after, I got the miserable news that our ship was taken by a vessel that came into the harbor the night before, whereupon I made all the haste down I could. We got some of the subjects of Mr. Samuel to assist us, and fired upon the pirate for two days, but could do no good. Then I hired two men to swim off in the night to cut their cables; but Mr. Samuel charged his men not to meddle with them, (as I was informed.) Mr. Samuel having got a letter from on board the pirate, in which I suppose they made great promises, so that he forbid us, on our lives, to meddle with any of the said pirates. It appears that the manner in which they took us was as follows:

When their ship came to an anchor in the harbor, they desired our boat to give them a cast on shore, they having lost their boat, and pretended to be a merchant ship, and to have about fifty negroes on board.

At night the captain of the pirate desired that our boat might give him a cast on board his ship, which was done; and coming on board, desired the men to drink with him; and when our men were going on board their ship again, he stopped them by violence. And at about nine o'clock at night they manned the boat and took our ship, and presently carried away all the money that was on board, rigging, and other things that they had occasion for, and then gave the ship, negroes, and other things that were on board, to Mr. Samuel. The name of the pirate captain was Evan Jones. The others were: Robert Moore, master; John Dodd, quarter-master; John Spratt, boatswain; Thomas Collins, Robin Hunt, from Westchester, New York, and others Mr. Abraham Samuel took likewise away from me twenty-two casks of powder and forty-nine small arms, likewise all the sails belonging to the "Prophet," which were on shore, and then sold the ship again to Isaac Ruff, Thomas Wells, Edmund Conklin, and Edward Woodman, as was reported, for fourteen hundred pieces of eight. The purchasers designed to go from Fort Dolphin to the island of Don Mascaurena upon Madagascar, and so for America. Captain Henry Appel, Jacobus Meenen, and Isaac Lawrens, went along with them.

Some days after there arrived at Fort Dolphin a small pinke, called the

Vine, Thomas Warrent, master, from London, which took in slaves at Fort Dolphin, and was bound for Barbadoes, in which I took my passage, and was forced to pay for the same sixty-six pieces of eight and two slaves.

Saturday 18th November, 1699.—I departed from Fort Dolphin, with four of the people that belonged to the "Prophet Daniel," in the aforesaid pinke Vine, for Barbadoes, leaving on shore, of the ship's company, only a mulatto boy, called Gabriel.

December 22d.—We arrived at the Cape of Good Hope, where the vessel took in water and provisions, and departed on the 16th of January following.

February 3d, 1700.—We arrived at St. Helena, and departed on the 8th of the same month.

February 17th.—We arrived at the island of Ascension; got turtle and fish, and departed on the following day.

March 24th.—We arrived at Barbadoes.

April 17th.—Departed from Barbadoes in the pinke "Blossom," Robert Darkins, commander, bound for New York.

May 11, 1700.—I arrived at New York; and that I may not be censured an ill man, and it may not be thought that I have saved any thing that belongs to the owners of said ship, I do declare that I have not, directly or indirectly, saved any thing that belongs to them, nor wronged them of the value of a farthing; but, on the contrary, have done all possible to serve their interest that I could. (Signed, &c.)

As to the remaining two of the four ships which left New York for Madagascar in July, 1698, one (belonging to Frederick Philipse,) was captured by an East India company's frigate; and the other suffered the fate of the "Prophet Daniel," and was taken by pirates. Three of them were, therefore, in underwriters' phrase, a "total loss;" and only one returned prosperously, under the command of Captain Giles Shelly.

The Earl Bellamont, who succeeded Colonel Fletcher as Governor of New York, arrived in New York on the 2d April, 1698. His administration was principally characterized by his opposition to the unlawful trade for which the mercantile community of this city had become celebrated throughout the commercial world. He was of an Irish family, bearing the patronymic of Coote. The nobility of his family dated back a century from the period of his appointment to the government of this province; and personally he had endowments which commended him to the popular respect. He was about sixty years of age, of high reputation for talent, while his rank, which was superior to that of any governor who had been previously appointed to this government, was supposed to carry with it a weight which would operate favorably in commanding obedience from a populace somewhat noted for independence of thought and action.

Although Lord Bellamont's appointment was notoriously made in view to the suppression of piracy, and those branches of trade concerned with

that class of adventurers, he found, upon his arrival, that the Provincial Council, who had been Fletcher's associates, made no objection to his initiatory proceedings toward attaining that object. Upon his communicating to them, upon their first meeting, his particular instructions in relation to piracy, and informing them of the evidence which had been presented against Governor Fletcher and others, they expressed their abhorrence of such practices, and went so far as to recommend that Fletcher be sent home a prisoner. But this extremity Bellamont avoided, out of respect to the late position of the ex-governor. One of the Council, however, William Nicoll, who had been, by his own confession, a recipient of fees from pirates, was suspended with the ostensible approval of the remaining members. But this seeming acquiescence of the Council in the policy of the new governor was, as it soon became evident, merely given for the purpose of holding their places in the government, and with a view to harrass the governor. A month had scarcely elapsed before the leading members of the late party in power, including the members of the Council, were engaged in "caballing" and exciting popular discontent against Lord Bellamont, so that he was forced to suspend two more of them, William Pinhorne and Chidley Brooke.

The remaining members who, with the others, were engaged in a common cause, saw their doom foreshadowed, and acted more openly in their opposition. The four Madagascar ships, mentioned previously as having sailed in July, 1698, applied to the governor for clearance. As their objects were highly suspicious, he called his council for consultation, and advised that they should be compelled to give bonds not to trade with pirates; but the members of the council, some of whom were concerned in the vessels, refused their assent to the proposition, and he was forced to admit their departure. The opposition to Lord Bellamont soon began to be manifested throughout the mercantile classes. As it was obvious his intentions were, as far as possible, to interfere with their trade; and as it happened that some eight or nine pirate ships arrived off the coast within a few months after his arrival, who were afraid to come into port, the excitement extended throughout the country. It was asserted that Bellamont's rigorous policy had hindered £100,000 from being brought into the city, since his arrival. At about this time, also, (July, 1698,) Bellamont caused the cargo of the Fortune to be seized, as mentioned in a preceding page, which increased the clamor of the merchants, so that within three months after his arrival an open and formidable opposition was established against his administration; and the merchants clubbed together, with a view to agitate, both in this province and in England, the necessity of a change in the administration, in order to restore the peace and prosperity of the country. The feud may be said then to have fairly commenced; and as the opposition party were marshaling their forces, Bellamont found it a matter of necessity to seek support among the factions, into which the recent political state of the province had thrown the community. He therefore favored the Leislerian party, which, since the execution of their

leader, Governor Leisler, had been out of public place. Bellamont soon after removed all the members of his council, and appointed persons from their political opponents to fill their places. The opposite faction appointed an agent to England to oppose the continuance of Bellamont in authority. Bellamont also appointed his attorney general to represent his interests, and to maintain a prosecution against Governor Fletcher, and the strife was therefore transferred to London, where the charges against Fletcher underwent a state examination. Eminent counsel appeared for the respective parties, and Bellamont triumphed. The case of Fletcher was reported upon adversely to him. Bellamont was sustained, and every encouragement was given him that his course was countenanced, and would receive the support of the home government. But while thus triumphantly prosecuting his warfare against the illegal traders of New York, an event occurred which changed the current of his fortunes

The name of *William Kidd* has become widely celebrated as a pirate. He has been the hero of song, story and tradition. The most extravagant legends have obtained credence respecting his unbounded wealth and his buried treasures. History, in its most respectable volumes, has recorded his brutality, his murders, and his desperate character. Yet, there is great cause to suspect that Kidd was less guilty than his reputation would be inferred from, and some reason to fear that he suffered the extreme penalty of the law a victim to political events, rather than in just punishment of his crimes. It would perhaps be an extreme supposition to suggest his entire innocency; yet, even this idea does not want some foundation.

William Kidd was a Scotchman by birth, who, having chosen a seafaring life, pursued the regular course of maritime commerce for some years, and we find him, about the year 1694, a man of family, residing in the city of New York. He was one of the original proprietors of the lots into which the Damen farm was divided, and owned the property on which he resided, in what was then Tienhoven street (now Liberty street, near Nassau street.) At this time Kidd's family was composed of a wife and one child (a daughter;) and he was himself captain of the brigantine Antegoa, a regular packet, sailing between London and New York. He maintained a highly respectable character in his profession, and notwithstanding the strong inducements to adventure which at that time extended their seductive influence toward the sea-faring classes in New York, (and which few indeed had the stability to resist.) there appears nothing to throw suspicion upon the character of Captain Kidd. It sufficiently appears that he was regarded as a courageous, efficient, and honest officer, and had the confidence of the traders between London and New York. He was considered a reputable witness in a state inquiry pending in London, in respect to Fletcher's conduct in New York, and appeared on several occasions before the Lords of Trade, for that purpose. This is the substance of his history with which we are acquainted, previous to his engaging in the cruise of the Adventure galley.

It happened in the year 1695, that Robert Livingston, a resident of

Albany, New York, who had large claims against the provincial government for advances of money toward the support of the governmental departments, which claims had been refused payment, found it necessary to proceed to London for the purpose of bringing the matter to the consideration of the government there. He went passenger in Kidd's ship, the Antegoa, and during the long passage, which was common in those days, the current topic of conversation in New York, the Red Sea Trade, was not unfrequently discussed over the dinner table of the Antegoa. Livingston, though not engaged in trade in New York, was not the less ambitious of acquiring the great goal toward which the aspirations of all tended, the acquiring of a distinguished fortune; and it was concluded between himself and Captain Kidd, that a fair opportunity was offered, through their joint interest in London, to obtain public commission, by means of which there could be realized from the pirates those profits and advantages which the merchants of New York were so notoriously reaping from their surreptitious trade. If, for instance, a cruise could be organized, having the king's authority and commisson, but, nevertheless, not under government pay, but being entitled to share the spoils taken from captured pirates in lieu of public pay, they would probably reap a full harvest of profit, and, at the same time, do the trading public a benefit, by extirpating the marauders who infested the Indian seas. This scheme was suggested by Livingston, upon his arrival in London, to the leading members of the government, and to several members of parliament, who, not themselves being behind the prevailing spirit of gain, though at the same time with a probable view to the public good, became parties to the project, and joined in the adventure. The Earl of Bellamont, then a prominent member of parliament, was made the representative of the high officials who took part in the adventure. These parties (besides Bellamont and Livingston) were no less personages than the king, the Lord Chancellor, (Somers,) the Earl of Romney, the Duke of Shrewsbury and the Earl of Oxford. The agreement between them was in written form, and composed of several articles, which recited, in substance, that Kidd, being desirous of obtaining a commission as a private man-of-war, and having knowledge of the departure of several piratical adventurers from America, with whose destination he was acquainted, it was agreed that a good ship should be furnished him, under the following conditions: That the Earl of Bellamont (acting for himself and others) should procure the king's commission to Kidd, to act as a private man-of-war, Bellamont and those whom he represented, to be at four-fifths of the expense of fitting out the vessel, the remaining fifth part to be contributed by Livingston and Kidd. Kidd stipulated to procure and take with him about one hundred seamen, and to sail for places where he expected to meet with pirates, and to use every effort to make captures; and with his prizes, to make the best of his way to Boston without touching at any other port, and there to deliver them to the Earl of Bellamont. Kidd further stipulated, that the bargain he would make with his crew would be "no prize, no pay," and that his crew's share of the prizes should

not exceed one fourth part. The parties further agreed, that in case no prizes were taken, Bellamont should be refunded the amount advanced, (about £5,000,) on payment of which, the title of the ship was to vest in Livingston and Kidd. The prizes taken were to be divided as follows: one fourth part to the ship's crew, and the other three parts to be divided into five shares, of which Bellamont and his associates were to receive four, and Livingston and Kidd one share; but, in case Kidd delivered to Bellamont prize goods of the value of £100,000, then the ship was to belong to Livingston and Kidd.

To the faithful performance of this agreement, both Livingston and Kidd entered into heavy bonds. The date at which the original agreement was made was 10th October, 1695, but the ship was not entirely fitted out until 20th February, 1696.

The expedition having been thus organized and the terms established, Captain Kidd resigned his mercantile employment, gave up the Antegoa to the correspondents and owners in London, and having manned the Adventure galley with a crew of seventy men, and a sufficient armament for ordinary contingencies, he sailed toward the American coast, with the view, in the first instance, of waylaying the Madagascar traders coming home to New York. He arrived in New York in the spring of 1696, and from time to time made coast-wise voyages in search of incoming vessels, but was not successful in profitable captures, although he took a French privateer on the coast, for which he received the commendatory notice of the New York Assembly, and in reward of his exertions was voted £250 as a compliment. But these tardy results were not such as were expected by the originators of the expedition; and the crew of his ship, who were employed solely upon expectancy of a remuneration from captures, and were without pay except upon such results, murmured at the probability of their failure, and clamored for a more distant scene of operations in the haunts of the pirates at Madagascar. Kidd, therefore, after some deliberation, resolved upon taking his course toward the Red Sea; but before venturing upon this distant and adventurous undertaking, concluded upon recruiting his forces.

At this time it seemed the mistake occurred which turned the current of his fortunes; for the discerning portion of the people in New York at once saw that his success depended upon accident, and that with a crew recruited in New York; bound upon a distant voyage; dependant upon prizes for compensation; with the influences surrounding them which had characterized the adventurous trade of New York; fascinated by the experiences of their class who had returned from the Red Sea with their pockets well filled with ill-gotten spoils, there only remained between Kidd's crew and piracy the chances of successful warfare upon the Red Sea men. Failing in lucky encounters with the pirates, nothing remained to the volunteer seamen but a resort to crime themselves; for Kidd personally was powerless in the hands of his crew, a large majority of whom were of the suspicious class of recruits taken up in the city of New York, the number of whom was about

one hundred. In the summer of 1696, with a crew of about one hundred and sixty men, he departed for Madagascar and the Indian seas.

The worst anticipations were realized; whether from want of direct communication, which might enable him to find the pirate ships or the depositaries of their spoils; or whether the pirates had received notice of his approach and had avoided him, it seems he was unable to effect the object of his expedition. There is also the alternative reason, which is that commonly ascribed to his conduct, that he found piracy more profitable than war with the pirates; and therefore adopted, from mercenary motives, the profession of those he was sent to subdue. But, judging from probabilities, we infer that his own story may have been the correct one, and that his lawless crew, disappointed in prize money from captured pirates, forced him to a course of conduct as foreign to his own designs, as it was to the objects of the distinguished characters by whose authority he acted. It is at any rate certain, that ninety of Kidd's crew revolted from him, and attached themselves to the Mocha frigate—that they were engaged in piracies, and many of them returned to New York as passengers in the Nassau, with Giles Shelly, whose voyage we have previously mentioned. News of the conduct of the "Adventure galley" crew reached England in the fall of the year 1698; and government, on the 23d of November, 1698, fitted out a squadron for the East Indies, with the principal object of capturing Kidd and his crew, and they at the same time sent orders to all their colonies to apprehend him, if he should come within their jurisdiction. The demoralization of the crew of the "Adventure galley" commenced with their seizure of a quantity of provisions at Malabar, and they seem subsequently to have abandoned themselves to a course of total depravity. They took three or four vessels, the most valuable of which was a ship of four hundred tons, called the *Quidah Merchant*, laden with treasure and East India goods.

With the Quidah Merchant, Kidd (having abandoned the Adventure galley to a portion of his crew) commenced his return to America. He was aware, however, that under the best explanation he could give of his conduct, he would be greatly censured. He therefore, in the first instance, made the Danish island of St. Thomas, and solicited protection, which was denied him; thence pursuing his course toward an island called Moona, between Porto Rico and Hispaniola, he met on the way a large sloop, commanded by one Henry Bolton. He hired Bolton to proceed to Curacoa, to purchase provisions; and having in the mean time deliberated upon the course of conduct most judicious to pursue, he resolved to purchase Bolton's vessel, in which to proceed to New York, and there ascertain the sentiments of government with respect to his proceedings, before closing his voyage. He purchased the sloop of Bolton, and left that individual in charge of the Quidah Merchant, to await his return. He, however, carried with him many valuable goods and considerable treasure.

About the first of June, 1699, Kidd entered with his sloop and about forty men, in Delaware bay. He sent his boat ashore at the Horekills, where

he was supplied with what he wanted, and the people frequently went aboard his vessel, giving him information of the actual state of things then existing in the colonies. Some of his men left him at this place, but several were afterward taken—some of them at Burlington, New Jersey, and others in Pennsylvania and Maryland. Kidd then, with a fatuity which seems unaccountable, unless we suppose he thought himself able to vidicate his conduct, took his sloop and treasure to the east end of Long Island, from which locality he designed to open negotiations with Lord Bellamont.

Having given notice of his arrival to his frends in New York, one of them named Emott was sent to him, through whom he opened a correspondence with Lord Bellamont, then in Boston. It may well be supposed, from the active part taken by that governor against the pirates and those dealing with them, and from the opposition met with by him in his official efforts for the suppression of illegal trade, that he felt the affair of Kidd had involved him and his distinguished coadjutors in England, in a most serious position affecting not merely their personal characters, but also the stability of the political party in the English government, of which these persons were the acknowledged leaders, and implicating besides even the possession of the crown, and, therefore, Bellamont should regard the capture of Kidd as of vital importance. Kidd's guilt or innocence were of secondary importance to the purging of the state officials from the charges boldly and vigorously urged against them in parliament by the Tory party, that they were directly or indirectly concerned in the piratical exploits of the "Adventure galley."

Through Emott, Kidd made known to Bellamont his existing circumstances at Long Island: that he had left the Moorish ship Quidah Merchant in a creek on the coast of Hispaniola, with goods of the value of £30,000; that he had bought a sloop, in which he was come to make his terms, having on board of her several bales of East India goods, sixty pounds weight of gold dust and ingots, about one hundred weight of silver, besides other things which he believed would sell for about £10,000. He protested his own innocence, and asserted that he would make it appear that his men forced him, locking him up in the cabin of the Adventure galley whilst they robbed two or three ships, and that he could prove this by many witnesses.

This statement, on the part of Kidd, corresponded with information received by Bellamont previous to Kidd's arrival, and there is probability, from official statements of Bellamont, that he believed Kidd to have been the victim of the lawless character of his crew. He had not only stated to the home government his information to this effect; but that such an opinion was entertained by him may be fairly inferred from his answer to the English lords of the admiralty, upon being informed by them that they had despatched a squadron to the East Indies to suppress such depredations as had been committed by Kidd's crew. He says, by letter of date fifteenth of May, 1699, that he is heartily glad of "the design of sending a

squadron of men-of-war to the East Indies to suppress the pirates, who are grown intolerable, both for number and the depredations they commit in that part of the world, and he wishes Captain Warren good success; though if he be not very well beloved by his men, and have not been careful in choosing good men, he will run a hazard of being destroyed, and of his men running away with the king's ship and turning pirates. The temptation is so great to the common seaman in that part of the world, where the Moors have so many rich ships, and the seamen have a humor more now than ever to turn pirates. I am in hopes the several reports we have here of Captain Kidd's being forced by his men against his will to plunder two Moorish ships may prove true, and 'tis said too, that near one hundred of his men revolted from him at Madagascar, and were about to kill him because he absolutely refused to turn pirate."

Bellamont's position, however, was such, that it was necessary he should exercise every effort to present Kidd for public trial in England, and he accordingly practiced some finesse to lure Kidd within its reach. But the condition of the public mind in England, with respect to Kidd's transactions, had become sufficiently reflected in this country, to make it certain to Kidd that he could not reasonably expect to be able to vindicate his conduct acceptably to the high contracting parties by whose contributions the expedition had been originally gotten up; and he was not loth, therefore, before committing his person to the custody of Bellamont, to secure some portion of the goods on board his sloop, to be made available to him in some form, however his personal conduct might be viewed. He therefore sent, through a man named Clarke, of New York, about £ 0,000 in value of property to be stored in Stamford, Connecticut; and he also, as it is said, buried some treasure on Gardner's island, near which his sloop lay.

The Earl of Bellamont answered Kidd's agent (Emott) that Kidd might safely make his appearance in Boston, if he could make his innocency appear: and gave further appearance of his pacific intentions, by writing a letter to Kidd to the same effect, which letter he dispatched by a Scotchman named Campbell, resident in New York, and a personal friend of Kidd, who, at the latter's request, had visited Boston, with a view to intercede for him and procure him a fair hearing.

Three or four days subsequently, Campbell returned, bringing Kidd's answer, in which, after reiterated protestations of his innocence, he promised to bring his sloop to Boston without delay. It seems, however, that willing to use other than straightforward means to secure favor, Kidd sent by Campbell some valuable jewelry, to be presented clandestinely to the Countess of Bellamont. They were received by her without remark, and it is possible Kidd may have argued favorably from this silence. The circumstance was, however, made known by the countess and her husband to the Massachusetts Council.

Kidd arrived in Boston on the first of July, 1699, and appeared, upon request, before the earl and the provincial council, where he underwent a series of examining interviews. The nature of these does not transpire,

but the reasons of committing him have been mentioned to be his trifling answers—the endeavors of his friends to secure the cargo of the sloop—the intimation that a present of £1,000 was designed by Kidd to the Countess of Bellamont, and the refusal to bring the Quidah Merchant home unless the bond of Livingston was discharged. Accordingly, on the sixth of July Kidd was sent to prison, and a commission was appointed to take charge of his effects.

Information of his arrest was sent to England, (where the matter was then the subject of great political excitement,) and it was suggested that piracy, not being a capital crime in America, Kidd and other captured pirates should be sent for, and tried in England ; to which end orders were soon after despatched, and a ship of war, under Rear-Admiral Benbow, was dispatched, to bring the pirates across the ocean.

It is supposed that by this time Kidd was forced to appreciate his position and to foresee his danger, for he was on all sides surrounded by enemies. On the one hand, Lord Bellamont, who had involved the stability of the great Whig party in England, by bringing its leading members, and even the king himself, into direct pecuniary connection with an expedition which had beyond doubt resulted in a piratical voyage, could not encourage Kidd in any manner, without further laying himself open to the taunts and animadversions which were already thrown at him from his opponents ; and on the other hand, were the opposite faction even to admit the possibility of Kidd's innocence, they would lose the political capital thus afforded, the strength of which depended solely upon Kidd's personal guilt, as it was with him alone the great functionaries had held correspondence.

Kidd, however, before his departure for England, offered—doubtless with a view to gain an opportunity to escape—that if he were permitted to go as a prisoner to the place where he had left the Quidah Merchant, and to St. Thomas' island and Curacoa, he would bring off 50 or £60,000, which he would deliver to the government, and which would otherwise be lost. His proposition, however, was not listened to.

Admiral Benbow left America about the first of June, 1700, with his prisoners, nine in number, among whom were Captain Kidd, Robert Bradenham, his surgeon, one Brown, (a piratical adventurer, who had married a daughter of Gov. Markham, of Pennsylvania,) David Evans and Tarlagh Sullivan.

Kidd was not put upon his trial for piracy, but was indicted and convicted of the murder of William Moore, one of his seamen, whom he struck with a bucket for insubordination, and death resulted from the blow. Whether policy dictated this form of prosecution from the fear of the character of the disclosures which might result from an indictment for piracy, in which the nature and origin of the whole expedition would be open to examination, and thus additional fuel might be added to the popular excitement which had already so greatly harrassed the government party ; or whether there were reasonable doubts of the ability of the prosecution to convict

Kidd of piracy is a question of surmise. It is certain, however, that if the sacrifice of Kidd was determined on, the probability of his conviction for the murder of Moore, where the question was simply with what intent the blow had been struck, was almost a certainty, before a jury of a country where the prejudice was strong against him, and who could readily infer an intent, which should construe the crime into a fatal one to its perpetrator.

Captain Kidd and eight other pirates were hanged at Execution Dock, in the city of London, on the twelfth day of May, 1701.

Admitting all that can be said for Kidd, it is obvious that his acts preclude the idea of freedom from guilt. We may take the case of the supercargo of the "Prophet Daniel," (whose journal has been copied in a previous part of this article,) whose circumstances were similar to those in which Kidd alleged himself to have been placed, as a fair example of the course of conduct which would be pursued by one betrayed by his subordinates. Kidd, on the contrary, finding that the expedition had become totally demoralized by the vicious character of his crew, passively sacrificed his reputation upon the principle of advantage; and instead of abandoning the ship and crew altogether, and seeking his opportunity to return home honorably though penniless, he brought with him a captured ship richly laden, with which he hoped to purchase pardon and to appease the disappointment of his employers.

But that he was the abandoned wretch which is generally imputed to him, there are many reasons that give occasion to doubt. Among them are his first capture of the privateer, and bringing her into New York for condemnation; his recruiting so a large number of volunteers, which was unnecessary in a cruise against merchant ships, but which was prudent in a warfare with armed pirates; his statements, and the testimony of others that at least in the first instance the unlawful seizures were against his will; the revolt of one hundred of his crew, a part of them seeking their way to America clandestinely, and others joining the pirates; his voluntary submission when he well knew the notoriety of his adventures and the circumstance of a public proclamation by the English government through all its colonies, directing his arrest; his negligence of repeated opportunities to escape, and to appropriate to himself the vast treasures in bullion and merchandise which he had in his possession, of which he gave information before delivering himself up, although he knew that if he were exculpated from blame, nine-tenth parts were to go to others than himself.

Kidd's wife and child remained in New York. She saw him for the last time at Boston, where he gave her some small means by permission of the authorities; but, as she lived in obscurity, it is supposed that she was dependent mainly upon her own exertions for support. Herself and daughter occupied their premises in Tienhoven street for some years subsequent to his decease

To resume the narrative of Lord Bellamont's administration subsequent to the time when the character of Kidd's expedition was discovered (which

was in the fall of the year 1698.) It may readily be supposed that, to a person of any sensitiveness of character, this discovery, and the well-known connection of Bellamont with the origin of the voyage, at once made his position an unenviable one. While engaged, with unexampled energy, in suppressing illegal traffic, and prosecuting parties having any concern with the Red Sea men—sacrificing, in the vigorous pursuit of this design, his personal popularity—disgracing many of the principal citizens of his province for their opposition to his designs—and, in short, hesitating at no measure, however severe, which might properly demonstrate his abhorrence of the character of that trade, and his contempt of the fortunes which were accumulated by the merchants who were engaged in it. It now appeared indubitably, that not only Lord Bellamont himself, but even those highest in the government of England, were concerned in a speculation upon the pirates, which was even less honorable in a moral point of view than was the trade of the New York merchants; for Kidd's expedition was not a public project, though it might be argued that its results were to subserve the public advantage. He was not even a privateer, as that species of adventure is recognized by the law—as the government was not to participate in the prizes. He was little less than a legalized rover against the rovers; his spoils, thus taken, to be divided among those whose influence procured him a public commission. Nor was the profit for which those parties stipulated in return for their investment of capital, one which could be reconciled with a claim of public motives inducing their co-operation. On the contrary, the enormous results which were anticipated as the interest in the enterprise (£100,000 in return for £5,000), sufficiently demonstrate that their project conveniently cloaked a private speculation under the mantle of a design for the public benefit.

The imperfections of human nature, therefore, came home to the Earl of Bellamont with a practical application. But it was not alone the contemplation of this philosophical plan of the transaction that induced anxiety of mind on his part; for the political aspect which the case assumed in England, the responsibility of which fell in a great measure upon him, caused the earl the deepest mortification. It is even not improbable that the shaft which, not long after, brought him to his grave, was then implanted.

Still, however, Lord Bellamont continued, consistently with his previous course, to exercise every effort toward the destruction of the Red Sea trade. And in this he was successful; for there was no longer any encouragement for capitalists to engage in traffic with the pirates. The notoriety of Kidd's adventure had forced the English government to additional exertions, and well armed squadrons were sent to cruise in the haunts of the pirates—which latter, after a spasmodic struggle with their adverse circumstances, during which, for want of richer spoil, they preyed upon each other, the Red Sea men became completely disorganized, although not totally destroyed. The New York merchants justly ascribed the ruin of this branch of their trade to Lord Bellamont. There can be no doubt that the spoils brought to this city, during the time the trade was permitted,

greatly enriched every class of its inhabitants, and tended to increase the prosperity and extent of the city. The wealth thus introduced found profitable investment, and more legitimate, in other branches of commerce; and a stimulus was given to the mercantile interests, which not a little contributed to the celebrity which the city attained as a commercial port.

During the remaining part of Lord Bellamont's administration, the opposition toward him gathered in strength; but he was sustained by the English government, and is entitled to high consideration and respect as one of the most liberal men in political sentiment intrusted to the government of the province. He was constitutionally subject to gout, which may have accelerated his death, which occurred at the city of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1701. It is said the news of his decease arrived at London on the same day as that on which Kidd was executed He was interred in the chapel of the fort. His countess returned to Ireland, where she died in the year 1728, at an advanced age.



UNION SQUARE.

Replete, as the central portion of our city is, with elegant specimens of street architecture, we do not know of any which presents a finer *coup d'œil* than the subjoined sketch, looking toward the northwest corner of Union Square, at the junction of Seventeenth street and the Fourth avenue. A few years since, and this now delightful spot was termed "the Forks," where the Bowery and the Bloomingdale road united. It then presented to the eye of the tourist and pedestrian a shapeless and ill-looking collection of lots, where garden sauce flourished—devoid of symmetry, and around which were reared a miserable group of shanties. The Manhattan Bank, at that period, owned a good part of the property; and when the yellow fever ravaged the lower part of the city in 1822, a temporary banking house was erected until the plague was stayed. In the latter part of the year 1831, the Common Council, on the petition of owners of property in the vicinity, resolved to have Union place enlarged to its present space—forming an irregular parallelogram, something after the plan of the Rue De la Paix and the Place Vendome, Paris. In the report on this subject, we find the committee making use of almost similar arguments as those recently urged in favor of the Central Park. After noticing the gradual increase in the population of the city, and its favorable location for commercial greatness at the confluence of two magnificent rivers, the report states:—

"That it is of the utmost importance to the present generation to locate, both for themselves and for those succeeding us, squares and public squares, now, while they can be obtained at a price comparatively small, and so to locate them, both with reference to the present and future importance of parterres, where great streets and avenues, the arteries of our body politic, diverge or unite, and where—now that the ground is unoccupied—the purchase can be effected, which, in the lapse of a few years, when valuable buildings are erected, will be impracticable, on account of the great expense—thus precluding to future generations the advantages that would necessarily accrue to them from having such squares in various parts of the city for purposes of military and civic parades, and for parties, and, what is perhaps of more importance, to serve as ventilators to a densely populated city."

The report in favor of the improvement was adopted, and the map of the city altered to conform thereto; but it was not until several years afterwards that the present "palatial edifices," which now adorn "the place," were erected. The Manhattan Bank put their lots in the market about 1845, and in 1847–8 the mansions to the left and centre of our sketch,



EVERETT HOUSE.

were finished and ready for occupation. The large building, the Everett House, is of more recent date, and stands partly on lots purchased of Dr. William B. Moffat, whose house adjoins it. The other buildings on the upper side of the place were erected, and are owned by Messrs. Miller, Henry Young, and the late Daniel Parish, whose will has, within a few months past, created so much excitement in the legal and commercial circles.

There are but few of the rising generation who can form any conception of the difference which this new centre of our city presents to the up town resident, from that which their fathers recollect in their drives through the Bloomingdale road; and we cannot better close our remarks than by reminding them that this improvement would perhaps have been delayed until it was too late, but for the energy and foresight of the majority of the committee of the then Board of Councilmen, whose names are appended to the report which lies before us—William H. Holly and James R. Whiting The former has long since retired to his country seat in his adjoining state, but the latter still resides in this city, and his name is too well known to need any eulogy. Both gentlemen may be satisfied to go down to posterity as the founders of the plan of the Union Place—for, strictly speaking, the term Square is a misnomer.

INCIDENTS

RELATING TO THE WAR OF 1812-14.

D. T. VALENTINE, Esq.,

DEAR SIR:—With this, I send you a little pamphlet, printed and published by Tunisen & Snowden, No. 100 Church street, in 1814, containing a list of officers attached to Major General Ebenezer Stevens's division of detached militia in the service of the United States at New York, together with all the laws relating to the militia of the United States and of the state of New York. Also, the Rules and Articles of War, for the government of the United States army, when in service. What I have stated from my own experience and observation I presume will apply to all other military corps, which were brought into service at that period. I have related them as they occurred to my memory, and confirmed by little memorandums, made at the time. If there is any thing you think worthy of being noticed in your invaluable work, you are at liberty to use them, and in the manner you think most proper.

With the copy of the roll of the company to which I was attached, made in the month of October, 1814, it has been in my power to assist those entitled to receive bounty land warrants, under the acts of 28th September, 1850, and 3d March, 1855; and several have availed themselves of the opportunity to do so.

This was a period of great military excitement. "Mark-time" was the order of the day, and almost every citizen attached himself to some military organization.* Lieut. Col. Robert Begardus, and, I believe, Cadwallader D. Colden, received commissions in the United States service, and had each commands of regiments, during the tour of duty in the fall of 1814. There was a fine troop of cavalry organized soon after the declaration of war. I remember some of the names of which it was composed,† Robert Dickey, John A. King, Wm. Craig, John Craig, James Boyd and others, and if my memory is correct, the first named gentlemen were officers of the company. They were the New York Hussars, and their uniform was grey mixed. At the time we were detached, in September, 1814, their place of parade was in Robinson street, (since Park place) near the old College grounds. At one of the parades, either of the brigade or division, previous to the line being formed, the horse on which Lieut. John A. King was mounted, took fright and dashed up Robinson street, crossed Broadway, prostrated a length of the Park fence, crossed

* Lieut. Col. Robert Begardus, in the United States service, was stationed in the fortifications a nnd around Harlem, and I believe the same with regard of Col. C. D. Colden; also part of the time having command of the Sea Fencibles.

† A list of this corps, as near as it can be ascertained, is given on page 483. The original roll is believed to have been burnt in the great fire of July. 1845.

the Park in front of the City Hall, broke down another length of the Park fence into Chatham street, opposite Tammany Hall. This second shock checked the speed of the horse, and fortunately, both the rider and the horse escaped without injury; and if my memory is not in fault, I think Mr. King again mounted the horse, and finished the parade of that day on him. It was considered a most miraculous escape, that in such a crowd no one was injured. The horse appeared perfectly unmanageable, and none but a good rider could have maintained his seat, and avoided being dashed against some of the trees in the Park.

Three sons of Rufus King were in active service, the gentleman above named; Charles King, (now President of Columbia College,) was an Aid of General Mapes, and occasionally, as the orders of that day show, had a regiment, (Col. J. R. Van Rensselaer, when absent,) placed under his command; and James G. King, who was Assistant Adjutant General in General Stevens' Division.

A fine infantry company was raised by Capt. Samuel Swartwout, called the Iron Greys, which was a popular corps.

I recollect many other names who voluntarily enrolled themselves in this emergency, without distinction of party, and were among the most spirited and patriotic citizens of that day. I believe, however, the close of the war in the winter of 1814 and 1815, closed the military life of many gentlemen who stepped forward at this important crisis.

Yours, respectfully,
ISRAEL RUSSELL.

New York, October 29, 1856.

LIST OF HUSSARS.

*Wiliam Craig, *Captain.*	*Charles Farquhar,
*Abraham Lott, 1st. *Lieutenant.*	*James Boyd, Jr.,
†John A. King, 2d "	Robert Troup, Jr.,
†Herman Le Roy, Jr, *Ord'ly Sergt.*	†Wm. H. Jephson,
†Fred'k Shelden,	Nicholas Low,
†Luther Bradish,	†Henry Shelden,
†Fred'k A. Talmadge,	*John M. Aspinwall,
*Thomas Morris, afterward U. S. Marshal.	*Ferdinand Suydam,
	*Daniel Rapelye,
*William A. Wallace	Jacob Rapelye,
†Robert Ray,	*O Webb,
*Robert Dickey,	*George Sharp,
*Amos. Palmer,	*James N. Tuttle,
*Wm. Edgar, Jr.,	Jno. F. Lawrence,
†Rufus L. Lord,	Charles C. Griswold.
†Daniel W. Coit,	*Daniel Jackson,
†Nathan Leavenworth,	Daniel W. Gantly,
*John Craig,	Charles Nichols,
*Daniel Remsen,	and others.

Those marked (*) are deceased. (†) Are known to be living.

In the Corporation Manual you prepared for the year 1856, the engravings representing the appearance of Harlem Heights, Harlem Plains, McGowan's Pass—the fortification, and other works thrown up for the defence of the city in 1814,—together with a sketch of the fortifications on Brooklyn Heights, recalled to my mind many incidents and reminiscenses of events of that day, and induced me to look over some military memorandums and orders issued to the militia who were detached, and in the service of the United States, for the defence of the city and harbor of New York at that period. Perhaps they may not be uninteresting as forming part of the history of the times.

After much opposition in Congress, the act declaring war against Great Britain was passed the 18th day of June, 1812. In anticipation of this event, I find the first order in reference to it from the Brigadier General of the 3d Brigade Militia, to which I was attached, is dated May 20th, 1812, to the following effect.

BRIGADE ORDERS.

New York, May, 20th 1812.

Pursuant to general orders of the 21st April last, the Brigadier General has organized the detachment ordered from the Brigade into eight Companies, and assigns to them respectively the following Officers

Comp.	Captains.	Reg't	Lieutenants.	Reg't	Ensigns.	Reg't
1	Henry Perine....	146	Jno. Tysen, jr....	146	Matthias Burger.....	146
2	Wm. S. Hicks...	125	N. J. Jennings....	125	Jno. B. Spicer.....	125
3	Rob't M. Russell	10	Thomas Alsop.....	125	Henry H. Macomb..	125
4	Robert Hyslop...	10	Isaac U. Coles.....	10	Cornelius R. Duffie..	10
5	C. Schermerhorn	142	Jno. J. Sickles.....	142	T. V. W. Varick....	142
6	Stephen Price...	82	Wm. Barnewell....	82	Gouverneur S. Bibby	82
7	Chas. King.....	51	Andrew Bowne....	51	Major G. Pell.....	51
8	Peter Wilson, jr.	82	M. Bloodgood.....	82	Peter W. Gale.....	82

who will take charge accordingly, and will be governed by such rules and orders as may be issued for the disciplining of the detachment. For their immediate information the Brigadier General directs the following extracts from general orders of 21st April, to be published.

"The detachments hereby required to be drawn from the militia, are in every respect to be organized, armed and equipped according to law, and for actual service, and will hold themselves in readiness to march at a moment's warning; and whenever the detachment and organization shall have been effected, the respective corps are to be embodied or considered in actual service, until by subsequent orders they shall be commanded to take the field."

"As soon as the various detachments herein mentioned have been duly organized into companies and troops, the Commandants thereof are to

make out, and deliver correct *Muster Rolls* and *Inspection Returns* of the same to the Officer assigned to the command of the regiment into which those companies and troops shall have been formed, and the Officer commanding every such regiment shall immediately thereafter transmit an accurate *inspection return* thereof, and exact copies of the said *muster rolls* to the Adjutant General's office, at the Capitol in the City of Albany."

"Commandants of Companies in the detachment from this brigade will apply immediately at the Brigade Major's office, No. 135 Pearl street, for the rolls of their respective companies, and the necessary blank muster rolls and inspection returns."

"The Brigadier General presumes it to be unnecessary to bring to the recollection of the Officers assigned to the detachment that attention, alacrity and promptitude are expected from them, or that the credit of the Brigade is in a great measure committed to their charge. From the knowledge he possesses of the Officers under his command he is satisfied that it is intrusted to safe hands, that no opportunity will be suffered to escape without adding to its reputation, and that on every occasion they will indeed prove themselves to be *respectable, active and enterprising*."

By order of Brigadier General * VAN ZANDT.

EBENEZER IRVING, Major and Inspector of Brigade.

DETACHMENT STATIONED AT BATH OR NEW UTRECHT, LONG ISLAND, FIRST YEAR OF THE WAR, FROM 15TH SEPT. TO 1ST DEC. 1812.

Second Regiment. First Brigade.

*Jonas Mapes, *Lieutenant Colonel.*
*Tunis Riker, *First Major.*
†William Thorn, *Second do.*
†John Anthon, *Paymaster.*
*Theodore V. W. Varick, *Adjutant.*
†John Ogden Dey, *Quarter-master.*
*Charles Drake, *Surgeon.*
*Robert Ludlow, *Surgeon's Mate.*
*Henry Walworth, *Sergeant-Major.*
John Seaman, *Second Master Sergeant.*

	Captains.	*Lieutenants.*	*Ensigns.*
1	Comp. Henry Perine.	John Tysen, jr.	Matthias Burger, jr.
2	" *Wm. S. Hick	*Nathan'l F Jenning	John B. Spicer,
3	" *Robt. M. Russell.	Thomas Alsop.	*Henry H. M'Comb.
4	" Robert Hyslop.	*Isaac U. Coles.	*Cornelius R. Duffie.
5	" C. Schermerhorn, jr.	*John J. Sickles.	*Theo. V. W. Varick.
6	" *Stephen Price.	Wm. Barnewall.	Gouverneur S. Bibby.
7	" Charles King.	Andrew Bowne.	Major G. Pell.
8	" Peter Wilson, jr.	Moses Bloodgood.	Peter W. Gales.
9	" Smith Purdy.		
10	" John Stephens.		

Those marked (*) are deceased. (†) Are known to be living.

* Brigadier General P. P. Van Zandt resigned his commission November 12th, 1812, and Lieut. Col. Jonas Mapes was promoted to Brigadier General, September 10th, 1813.

Lieut. Col. Beekman M. Van Beuren's Regiment also stationed at Bath, at the same time.

John Coffin, *Major*.
Lemuel Jenkins, *Paymaster*.

Captains.	*Captains.*
John McClure,	Lawrence Davenport.
Charles Clark,	Stephen Powell.
—— Garrison,	—— Waterbury
John B. Stevenson,	—— Van Beuren.
Joseph Delafield,	
—— Persey, a horse comp'y.	(Four companies from Westchester
(Six companies from N. Y. city.)	county.)

These two regiments contained from one thousand to twelve hundred men, stationed at Bath or New Utrecht, from 15th September to 1st December, 1812, first year of the war.

This detachment was commanded by Lieut. Col. Jonas Mapes, were ordered on duty 15th of September, 1812, at Bath, Long Island, and continued in service until 1st of December, 1812. The latter part of the time they were quartered in Isaac Riley's book printing establishment at Bath, making three months service. Colonel Mapes' regiment consisted of about 600 men. During this encampment I remember to have visited it once on Sunday, and heard a very patriotic sermon from Dr. P. J. Van Pelt, who acted as Chaplain to this detachment. Nothing of moment occurred on our seaboard the first year of the war. I am not aware that besides this and the detachments called into service in the fall of 1814, there was any of the militia of the City and County of New York placed in active service during the war of 1812.

Early in the year 1814, the abdication of Napoleon Bonaparte, his exile to the Island of Elba, and the restoration of the Bourbons to the throne of France, caused a cessation of hostilities in Europe. This enabled the English government to concentrate both their military and naval forces on our seaboard and northern frontier, to a much greater extent and strength, than at any time since the commencement of the war. In the month of July, secret intelligence was received of an intended attack on this City by the enemy. It was in a defenceless state, for want of fortifications and men, all the resources of the country having been devoted to the Canada frontier, where General Brown and General Scott, with the regular army, were actively engaged in fighting. (Here is an extract from A. T. Goodrich's "Picture of New York.") "Early in the month of August the general government made a requisition for 20,000 militia from the States of New York and New Jersey, to be concentrated in and around the City, and the Corporation raised the funds to meet the necessary expenses under a pledge of reimbursement by the national government. It was determined to erect fortified camps at the heights of Brooklyn and Harlem; a public meeting of citizens was held in the Park on the 10th of

August; a spirited address was made to the citizens by the committee of defence, when offers of voluntary service, from all classes of people, poured in upon them; and the militia officers under General Mapes, and a company of artillery under Captain Bremner had the honor of breaking ground at Brooklyn: the example was followed with enthusiasm for several weeks in parties of citizens, from 500 to 1000 each day, and the works progressed rapidly. A proud feeling of national pride and self respect was engendered, and of confidence in our strength and unanimity, which was itself a host.

"The country troops began to pour in, 400 heavy cannons were mounted on the various forts, and the following supplies of ammunition were provided: 44,131 round shot for 18 pounders, and upward 1,087 shot and shell for the Columbiads, 5,241 shells, 12,572 round shot for 12 pounders and under, 610 case shot, 3,133 strapped cannister and grape, 12,203 filled cartridges for heavy guns, 105,185 pounds of powder for cannon and muskets, 788,791 musket cartridges, 104,894 flints, 2,600 muskets.

"Commodore Decatur, and a body of brave seamen, were stationed to defend the city, by land or water, as the occasion might require. A strong flotilla was ready in the harbor, a military spirit pervaded all ranks, and a perfect readiness, and even desire, to face the foe; every fort was fully manned, and furnished with all the munitions of war."

August 24th.—Washington City was captured, and the public edifices burnt by 5,000 British, under command of General Ross; British 64 killed and 185 wounded.

August 26th.—Alexandria surrendered to the British by capitulation, who plundered the merchandise and burnt the shipping.

September 1st.—By general orders of this date, all the artillery and infantry corps in this City and County were consolidated, placed under their own officers, mustered into the U. S. service, subject to all the rules and articles of war, and to receive the same pay and rations as the regular troops of the United States. The officers commanding at this post were his excellency Daniel D. Tompkins, Governor of the State of New York, and Major General Morgan Lewis of the U. S. Army.

The whole division detached was under the command of Major General Ebenezer Stevens.

Brigadier General Jonas Mapes commanded the 3d Brigade of Infantry, composed of Lieut. Colonel Dodge, Lieut. Colonel Isaac A. Van Hook, and Lieut. Col. J. R. Van Rensselaer's (of Hudson) regiment. They were called into service by the following Order:—

EXTRACT FROM A BRIGADE ORDER, CALLING INTO THE UNITED STATES SERVICE, THE MILITIA FOR THE DEFENCE OF THE CITY AND HARBOR OF NEW YORK, DATED

New York, September 1, 1814.

Third Brigade of Infantry.

"The Commandants of the above detached Regiments will appoint their Staff. The Brigadier General wishes it to be distinctly understood, that

the above consolidation is provisional, liable to be altered or reduced, as occasion may require.

"Company Rolls will be delivered to the Captains of Companies, as above specified, who will, when ordered, parade the men upon their several rolls, and have them mustered; and Muster Rolls, prepared according to the regulations of the United States in that behalf. Commandants will receive such able-bodied substitutes as may be offered to them by any person liable to duty;—the substitutes, in all cases, to be fully equipped.

"The Commandants of Regiments will order their men to parade twice each day for drill; and it is recommended to be from 6 to 8 A.M., and from 4 to 6 P.M., for that purpose.

"In future, orders will be issued and distributed at the General Quarters, No. 230 Water street, each day at 12 o'clock. Commandants of Regiments will send their Adjutants at that time for orders.

"Officers will govern themselves in their drills and manœuvres by the regulations laid down in Duane's Hand Book for Infantry."

By order of Brigadier General MAPES.

CHARLES KING,
Captain and Aid-de-Camp.

TENTH REGIMENT—THIRD BRIGADE OF INFANTRY.

NEW YORK, September 1, 1814.

In pursuance of General Division and Brigade orders, this regiment is "ordered into immediate active service, for the defence of the city and harbor of New York, and directed to rendezvous on Friday next, September 2d, at the brigade ground in the Bowery. Commandants of companies will order their men to appear on that day, at an hour sufficiently early to form the regimental line on their parade ground, front of Harmony Hall, precisely at seven o'clock, A.M., armed and equipped according to law.

"They will communicate to their men that they are in the service of the United States, for the purpose of *defending their own homes;* that they will be entitled to full pay and rations, and subject to the rules and articles of war; that they are permitted for the present to quarter at their own homes; but that, nevertheless, the most practical and rigid attention must be paid to all orders, and the most strict and punctual attendance at the parade, either of drill or review, which may be ordered, and to such other duties as they may be required to perform. They will also receive into their companies such volunteers or persons as may tender themselves for that purpose, and also enroll and notify such persons as were omitted in previous enrollments, or have subsequently become of age or removed into their districts.

"The personal equipments of a soldier are a musket, bayonet, or rifle, cartridge-box and bayonet-belt, knapsack, blanket, canteen, and twenty-four rounds of ammunition.

"Major-General Stevens (under whose command the troops are placed) trusts upon this occasion both officers and men will evince their patriotism, and render to their country the service it now requires of them, and the Brigadier General expresses his confidence that his brigade will justify these expectations."

The commandant of the regiment has no hesitation in believing that the officers and men under his command will, by giving their usual promptness and execution to the above order, fulfill to the utmost the expectations of their general, as far as relates to their regiment.

By order of
JAMES STRONG,
Major commanding.

The head-quarters of Lieutenant-Colonel Dodge's regiment, where the guard was stationed and the guard duty performed, was at Hamilton Hotel, No. 37 Cherry street, near Franklin square. At that time it was a very deep double lot, with the hotel, a wood building in front. In the rear was a building in which we drilled, and where the guard was stationed. This spot is now 36 and 38 Cherry street, built with brick in front, and alley-ways each side, leading to small tenement buildings in the rear.

The men composing Colonel Dodge and Colonel Van Hook's regiments being citizens, were quartered at their own homes in the city. Colonel Van Rensselaer's regiment from Hudson being strangers, were quartered in tents, on the Stuyvesant farm in the Bowery, and was the ground where most of the first parades of that fall were made. It is now all laid out in streets and avenues, and built upon. It was about where First and Second streets now are.*

The necessary guard and other duties, at head-quarters, were performed by the companies, with their respective officers, in weekly rotation. The men who quartered at home were drilled every morning and afternoon, from three to four hours, at some parade ground selected by the regimental field officers. Colonel Dodge's regiment, to which I belonged, drilled in the Park. The parade ground of Captain Woodhull's company, to which I was attached as lieutenant, was the front of City Hall steps. Captain Wm. H. Maxwell's was in front of the theatre. Captain Wm. T. McCoun, Ex-Chancellor, I think, was on the side of Broadway; and so every company had its particular parade ground. The battalions formed twice in each week; the regiment once in each week; the brigade once in two or three weeks; and the whole division, under General Stevens, had three or four fine parades, during the term of three months' service. During this term, also, the different regiments performed their tour of duty at Harlem, and were each encamped in the tented field, until relieved by a new corps from the city.

* I cannot precisely locate the Parade ground; there were several rope walks near the spot. I have been shown the map of the Stuyvesant farm, by a gentleman well acquainted with the property, and he locates it about First, Second, Third and Fourth streets, east of the Bowery.

Being in the United States service, receiving pay and rations, (those who did not quarter at home,) we were strictly under the army regulations, and governed in all things by the rules and articles of war. The officer of the day at head-quarters, made his *grand rounds* at night, and generally, as there was more amusement in it than otherwise, would have a goodly number of brother officers to accompany him. I recollect going the rounds one night with Major James Strong, officer of the day, and others from our head-quarters in Cherry street. The first post visited was Col. Van Rensselaer's, on the Bowery farm. Fort Gansevoort was the farthest post on the North river The fort at Hubert street, called the North Battery; the fort (now Castle Garden) at the Battery, and the head-quarters of the other different corps on duty in the city, made up a ride of three or four hours, was good exercise, and with the little plans of surprise, the evenings passed off very pleasantly.

While on our tour at Harlem, in the month of October, we had a merry time. Captain William H. Maxwell was the life of our camp; but there were several others quite equal to him. One evening it was planned by some of the senior officers, that the countersign should be changed at twelve o'clock; and as some of the officers were disposed to go out, and have a gay time of it, the plan was to bring them in prisoners to the guard house on their return. It was a beautiful moonlight night, and in the still air the voices of these military gentlemen could be heard at a great distance, and they appeared to be enjoying a most luxuriant treat of frolic and fun. It was after twelve o'clock before they began to return, and when they did, one after the other were brought to the guard-house as prisoners. We had one lieutenant-colonel, three captains, six or eight lieutenants, and ensigns. But the joke was not taken in as good part as it was given; they were very angry, raged and stormed, and conceived it a great indignity offered them. They preferred charges against the officer of the guard, who was a lieutenant, and threatened to have him cashiered. He was the only responsible one they could charge with it. He felt secure, for there were those his superiors who planned it, shielded him. When we returned to the city they endeavored to carry out their threat, and it was agitated a good deal for a week or two. Finally, General Mapes, in his good natured pleasant manner, laughed them out of their anger, and it was all forgotten.

The same night, after all was quiet and the officers and men had retired to their tent and were wrapped in sleep, the moon had gone down and a heavy dew was falling, the same officers who had planned the first affair caused a false alarm to be given, by directing the sentinel on the outskirts of the camp to fire alarm guns, and such measures were taken as to give an impression that a real attack had been made by the enemy. It was at this time fully expected an expedition would be fitted out, and an attack made in this direction through the Sound, so that it only wanted a little strength of imagination to believe it was a reality. The whole regiment was speedily mustered; the officers all at their posts in a short time, and almost

all under the full belief that it was an actual attack of the enemy. They marched off, but no enemy could be found. The officers made a good parade of it; and toward morning, as day-light dawned, they returned to camp, giving evidence by the appearance of their clothes, which were wet by the heavy dew, marching through the fields, that it had not been a short one. This has always been a pleasant incident to remember and speak of, when any of Colonel Dodge's officers and men met in after times

September 12th.—In the month of September the battle of Baltimore took place, in which five thousand British, led by General Ross, were repulsed by the Americans, chiefly militia, with a loss of forty-six killed (including General Ross) and two hundred and ninety-five wounded. The Americans had forty killed and two hundred wounded, and forty-nine prisoners taken. In almost every expedition they fitted out to attack any part of our sea-board, they were as unsuccessful as at Baltimore. "On the 30th August, Sir Peter Parker, with one hundred and twenty-four sailors and marines from the Menelaus frigate, was defeated at Bellaire, (Virginia,) by a party of militia, with a loss of their commander, and thirteen men killed and twenty-seven wounded."

It was doubtless owing to the great preparation made for defence by the fortifications so speedily thrown up, and the troops concentrated in this city and harbor, that prevented any attempt to land here during that summer; and their forces were all sent South, where the war was closed by the great battle at New Orleans, and the victory of General Jackson.

After one of the parades, the following order was issued:

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE, THIRD MILITARY DISTRICT, NEW YORK, October 22d, 1814.

General orders:

The commanding general tenders to the officers and soldiers of General Mapes' brigade of militia infantry, his unfeigned thanks for the elegant and patriotic spectacle yesterday exhibited, of a body of citizens transformed, in the short space of six weeks, into a military corps, qualified to enter the lists, and to sustain with veterans a contest for pre-eminence in the field exercise and manœuvre.

The general assures the brigade that its performances not only delighted, but astonished him. He could not have believed, had he not been an eye-witness to the fact, that the utmost diligence and attention could have produced a result so honorable to both officers and men. Not a single instance could be discovered throughout the exercises of the day, of even a false step made by either officer or soldier. The manual was handsomely performed by the taps of a drum, and the platoons well dressed in perfect line, and the nineteen manœuvres executed with exact precision, and without blunder or even hesitancy. In short, the general can truly say, he does

not believe the United States can produce a corps, regulars or militia, that can surpass, in exercise of the field, the brigade of General Mapes.

By order of

Major-General LEWIS, Commanding.

THOMAS CHRYSTIE,
Assistant Adjutant General.

On the 20th November, an order was issued by the commanding general, that all the troops be mustered for pay, and to be discharged from service by the 2d December following; also, an order of 23d November, for a parade of all the troops on duty on the 25th November, when a brilliant display of all the corps in the city and harbor, amounting to more than twenty-five thousand men, was witnessed on a fine clear day, with a bracing atmosphere.

The following are copies of these orders:

Extract from general orders, dated

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.
NEW YORK, November 20th, 1814.

"The Inspector General will cause the following militia corps in service in this district, to be immediately mustered and inspected for pay:

Heermance's *Brigade*.
Haight's "
Van Orden's "
Colfax's "

including the New Jersey troops at the Hook, New Utrecht, New Brunswick and Newark, General Johnson's brigade, General Curtenius' brigade, General Swartwout's brigade, General Stevens' division, and New York Hussars. The paymaster will cause these troops to be paid without a moment's delay, and will report to head-quarters as each corps shall be paid, to the end that the discharge may be granted by general orders. If practicable, the whole will be relieved by the 2d of December, in the order above mentioned. "The officers who have received public property of any description from the United States, or State depots, will be held responsible for every article which is not returned or accounted for, pursuant to the laws and regulations upon that subject."

By order,
JOHN R. FENWICK,
Adjutant-General.

Extract from General Orders, dated

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.
NEW YORK, November 23d, 1814.

"There will be a general parade on Friday next, the 25th instant, in the city of New York, of General Stevens' division, General Curtenius'

brigade, New York Hussars, and such detachments from General Boyd's command, from the islands in the harbor, and from General Colfax's, General Van Orden's, and Lieutenant-Colonel Belknap's brigade; and from Lieutenant-Colonel Warner's cavalry, as can be conveniently spared and transported. The adjutant-general of the district will be the officer of the day, and may call to his assistance such other officers as he may think proper.

By order,

JOHN R. FENWICK,
Adjutant-General.

Extract from Division Orders.

New York, December 2d, 1814.

"The tour of three months' duty expires this day. The troops are committed to the generals of their respective brigades, who will be governed by previous orders for their discharge.

"The major-general, upon this separation, observes, that the novel instance of *five thousand citizens*, called from the bosom of their families, transformed almost immediately into soldiers, who have outvied the list of improvement, with regular and veteran, and have lost no credit by the competition, is no less honorable to the skill of the officers and to the subordination of the men.

"After the various eloquent and well-deserved eulogiums upon the *officers* and *troops* of this division from higher sources, it were needless to express more than a concurrence in the applause which has been bestowed. Yet, so dear to the general is the reputation of his troops, that he wishes not to conceal that tribute of admiration to them, have been sources of honor and felicity to him. Duly impressed with a sense of their past services, the major-general tenders to each, individually, an affectionate *farewell*, in the full assurance that they will preserve and improve the military attainment, so necessary to the safety and honor of their *country*.

"The officers of the division staff, from their confidential intercourse with the general, cannot have mistaken the high estimation in which he holds them, and for their services they are requested to accept the public acknowledgement of his thanks."

By order of
Major-General STEVENS.
James G King,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

In the beginning of December, the corporation advanced four hundred and forty thousand dollars to pay the militia, on a pledge of treasury notes, which was repaid by the general government the following year.

A complimentary dinner was given to General Mapes by the officers of his brigade, 2d of December, 1814, the day the troops were dismissed to their homes. The following is a copy of the card of invitation:

OFFICERS' DINNER,

IN HONOR OF GENERAL MAPES,

AT WASHINGTON HALL, AT FOUR O'CLOCK, P.M.,

FRIDAY, DECEMBER SECOND, 1814.

COMMITTEE.

Jacob R. Van Rensselaer, *Lieutenant-Colonel.*
Joseph D. Fay, *Major.*
James Strong, *Major.*
Robert M. Russell, *Captain.*
Albert Chrystie, *Lieutenant-Adjutant.*

Funshaw & Clayton, Printers, 10 *Cliff street.*

There was a large and pleasant company present at this dinner, and it was a most agreeable entertainment.

The following order was the last issued, on the conclusion of the war:

REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

FIRST REGIMENT, THIRD BRIGADE, DETACHED INFANTRY.

NEW YORK, 29th April, 1815.

Brigade orders have been received, announcing that "his Excellency, the Commander-in-Chief has declared the detachment dissolved by the peace between the United States and Great Britain," and directing that the officers of the brigade resume the several commands which they held previous to the organization of the late detachment. The officers of this regiment are therefore to govern themselves accordingly.

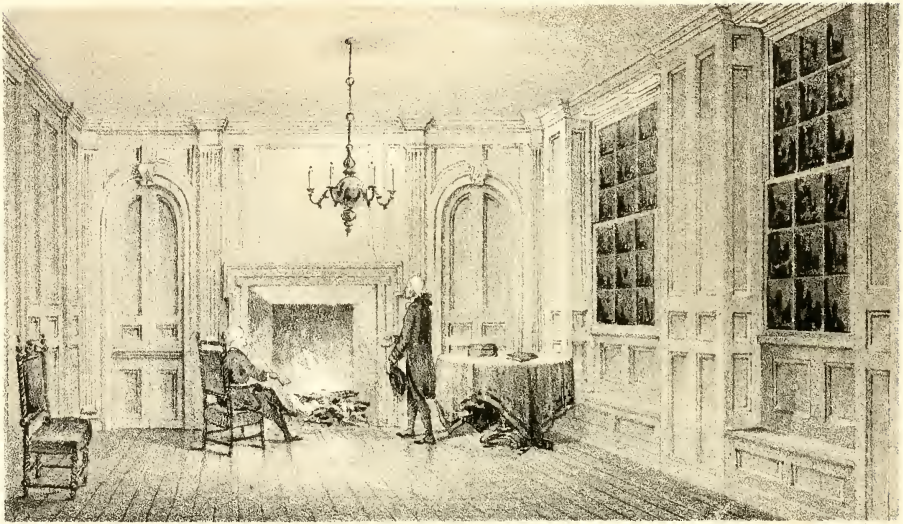
By order of

Lieutenant-Colonel DODGE.

HENRY S. DODGE, Adjutant.

TWO VIEWS OF THE INTERIOR OF THE WALTON HOUSE, PEARL STREET.

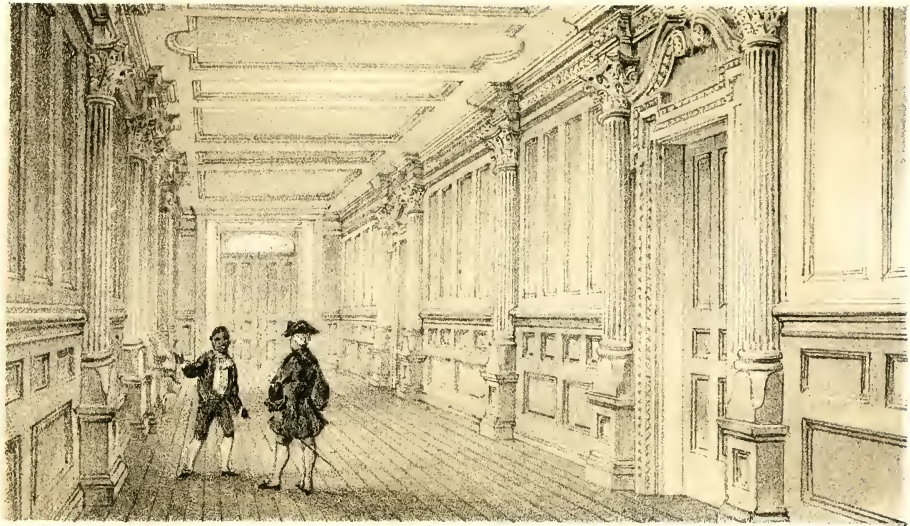
This ancient edifice was, in its day, the finest in the city. Its proprietor was a merchant, who, by a lucky speculation, amassed a large fortune—a great portion of which he invested in this baronial mansion. The British officers who, in their professional wanderings, were stationed in this city, were frequent guests of the proprietor of the mansion, and were entertained in expensive style. So much so, that when the grievances of America and the impoverished condition of its people were brought to the consideration of Parliament previous to the Revolution, they were met by members who had been entertained in the Walton House, and who asserted that the show of plate and luxurious style of life there exhibited, fairly emulated the baronial establishments of the old country.



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SITTING ROOM 2d STORY; WALTON HOUSE



ENTRANCE HALL of the WALTON HOUSE
Pearl St. N.Y. 1840.

THE ORIGINAL GRANTS OF VILLAGE PLOTS

BELOW WALL STREET.

The compiler has, for this year's MANUAL, prepared a map of the original grants of village lots in that part of the city below Wall street. The West India Company, in 1626, purchased the whole island from the Indians, so that all titles are derived from that company. They, in the first instance, permitted settlers to choose their places of residence, and to occupy as much land as might suffice for garden purposes, except in one or two localities, where, from the anxiety of the inhabitants to establish themselves, it was necessary to confine them to smaller lots. These were immediately under the walls of the fort, which was thus the more accessible in case of sudden invasion by the savages. There was also a particular locality which was naturally the centre of trading establishments, and at that place the lots were therefore limited to more confined dimensions. This was in the front of the wharf and the company's warehouses, and occupied the present north side of Pearl street, between Whitehall and Broad streets. It will be seen that, in most other parts, the gardens below Wall street were of the ordinary size of village plots, and some of them were even sufficiently large to be cultivated as orchards.

The settlers who actually occupied these lots were understood to have acquired a pre-emptive right to a grant in fee without paying any thing except the fee of the officials in drawing and executing the grant. And these were accordingly delivered, for the first time, about the year 1642, during Governor Kieft's administration. It was found necessary that the titles of the settlers should be recognized at this period, as even the lots in favorite localities began to assume a value, although of course a very trifling one. The first transfer of any fee title in this city was of a lot in Bridge street, near Whitehall, thirty feet front and one hundred and fourteen feet deep, in the year 1643. The price paid was about fourteen dollars.

A general regulation was made, about this period, as to the terms upon which future grants were to be made, which were, that the unappropriated lands were to be bestowed free, but upon condition, that, if not built upon within three years, they should revert to the company. Some attention began to be paid, therefore, to a plan for the location of lots in places where thoroughfares were not already established from accidental causes; and it may be not uninteresting to take a brief view of the reasons which led to the establishment of these original thoroughfares, from which, as the trunk of our geography, all the branches have since sprung.

The two great avenues from the fort to the country, were, first, the road to the interior of the island on the present line of Broadway, as far as the Park; and second, the road to the ferry to Long Island, on the present Stone street, to Hanover square; and Pearl street, beyond, as far as Peck slip. Stores, opposite the wharf, caused a thoroughfare on the present Pearl street, between Whitehall and Broad streets. The City Tavern, erected in 1642, immediately on the shore, caused a thoroughfare along the present Pearl street, between Broad street and Hanover square. The church caused a thoroughfare along Bridge street. The ditches which drained the marsh lying above the present Beaver street caused the thoroughfare along Broad street as far as Beaver, and along Beaver to Broadway. The narrow way, now called Marketfield street, was originally to avoid the miry vicinity of the ditch in Beaver street. The cluster of houses around the south end of the fort had a way between them, which is not now defined by any street (as they were afterward all razed to give free play to the fort). And thus we have all the thoroughfares from which every thing since has radiated

Having thus defined the accidental roadways, it may be further stated that the geographical condition of the other sections below Wall street, was, the most of any thing, marked by a springy meadow, which, before its transfer to private individuals, was commonly known as "the Marsh," or "the Company's Valley," which was surrounded by hills, except at its debouche, near the present line of Broad street. This meadow reached from the present New street to near William street on the west and east boundaries, and from Exchange place to near Beaver street on the north and south sides. It was used at this period, and for ten years subsequently, as the common grazing place for the cattle and sheep of the inhabitants; and when the extension of Broad street above Beaver street was afterward resolved upon, the lots located upon it were described as on the sheep pasture.

As it may be well, in this place, to anticipate the laying out of another street which, in after years, was established along the present line of Exchange place; it may be said that that street was along the lower edge of a hill bordering the meadow; and from a path there worn by the animals, the street, when laid out, derived its first name, by which it was known in the grants as the "Schaape Waytie," or the sheep path.

As to the names given to these original thoroughfares, and by which they are referred to in the terms of the grants (the descriptive parts of which are hereafter to be given in detail), they will be found as follows. The present Broadway was known as "the common highway," "the great highway." The present Stone street was known also as "the common highway," or "the road" The present Broad street was known as "the ditch," or "the common ditch." The present Pearl street, between Hanover square and Broad street, was known as "at the East river," &c. The present Pearl street, between Broad and Whitehall streets, was known as "the strand," or "at the East river." The street between the line of

buildings south of the fort, was designated simply as the road. The present Marketfield street was called "the road," or "the oblique road" The present Beaver street, between Broadway and Broad street, was called "the old ditch," or "the ditch." The present Beaver street, east of Broad street, was an ill-defined road, and was called "the road."

In locating these ancient grants, it may be well understood that there were difficulties in satisfactorily determining their relative positions which required long and careful examination to overcome; and to say that the very precise and accurate position of each parcel has been laid down with that definiteness which would determine the legal boundaries in a contested suit between parties, is more than the compiler would arrogate to himself. There are intrinsic difficulties in such a presumption, which are impossible to be overcome. The streets have, in some instances, been altered in width, and perhaps to some extent in direction (for the whole village was surveyed in 1647, and many divergencies are suggested in the records, and unfortunately the map is lost). No record exists of the character of such alterations. But, as to the general configuration and extent of the grants, they may be taken as sufficiently accurate for all purposes required. And the compiler confidently refers to a comparison of the grants themselves,—an abstract of which follows the map, with the lots, as laid down for support in this assumption. These grants, however, as given, are copied from the translation of the original record at Albany, and the translator seems to have, in some cases, been careless in giving the precise meaning intended as "bounded west *of*," instead of "west *by*," and other similar errors, which are, however, easily corrected by examination.

It would be impossible, however, by any amount of labor, to locate these grants below Wall street, without other data than the grants themselves. The compiler has, in the course of many years' attention to this and kindred subjects, accumulated a mass of materials which have aided him in overcoming the difficult points of his labor, and he is led to regard the result of this attempt with satisfaction, as it is more complete and accurate in its proportions than he expected it would be possible to attain.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTS OF THE ORIGINAL GRANTS BELOW WALL STREET.

Grant to Jan Jansen Damen, 1644.—*Description.*—Land lying on both sides of the public road, on the Island of Manhattan, north of the Fort. The piece that lies between the river and the said road, extending seventy-five rods north-east, and on the northern side till to the beach, sixty-one and one half-rods; on the south side, till to the beach, thirty-eight rods, in a regular line; sixty-eight rods by the beach. There is a projecting point on the north side. On the eastern side it extends along the public road fifty rods; on the south side next the company's land, south-east, a little easterly, seventy-two rods nine feet five inches, to the land of Tymen Jansen, fifty-two feet. (quere rods,) and two-thirds of a rod, next to the land of Tymen Jansen till by the beach, east by south and east-southeast thirty-seven rods three feet; along by the aforesaid land to the lot of Maryn, seventeen rods and eight feet, and extends farther from the north end on the east side of Maryn's land, next to the road running betwixt the land of the Secretary Cornelius Van Tienhoven and the said land of Jan. Damen, throughout, till to the starting point at the common highway.

(Note.—But a small portion of this property is below Wall street, the city Palisades striking along the lower boundary of the farm, but cutting off some of the land.)

Grant to Hendrick Hendricksen Kip, 1642.—*Description.*—Lot east of the Fort, in length seven rods one foot four inches, in breadth six rods, &c. An uneven square of about forty-four rods.

Grant to Borger Jorisen, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot on the shore of the East river, east of the Fort, extending east eleven rods, and north ten rods, being an uneven square, containing one hundred and ten rods.

Grant to Jan Jansen Schepmoes, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot southeast of the Fort, extending along by the house two rods four feet; along the west side nine rods seven inches; on the southeast side, and in breadth, along the river, three rods one foot; on the east side nine rods two feet.

Grant to Martin Cregier, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot for a house and garden lying north of the Fort, extending from the house, about west, nine rods two feet; towards the fort, south, six rods nine feet. Again, about east, with a great out-point, fourteen rods six feet; further, to the place of beginning, four rods five feet. Amounting, in an uneven, four-sided figure, to eighty-six rods three feet.

Grant to Isaac Allerton and Govert Loockermans, 1643.—*Description.*—Two lots on the east side of the great highway, extending, in breadth, along the said road eight rods and nine feet; on the north side eighteen rods two feet, to the marsh. In breadth, in rear or along the

marsh, seven rods six feet; and on the south side nine rods eight feet seven inches. The out-point, being right angled, one rod eight feet seven inches, and in a southerly course, further, to the road, nine rods four feet. In all one hundred and sixty-one rods nine feet.

Grant to Jan Stevensen, Schoolmaster, 1643.—*Description.*—A lot for a house and garden, lying north of the Fort, streteling in length twelve rods eight feet; in breadth, in front of the house, ten rods nine feet, and in rear, in breadth, nine rods five feet.

Grant to Andries Hudden, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot on the Great Highway, in breadth, in front, five rods; in length eighteen rods, in rear five rods.

Grant to Roelof Jansen Haes, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot at the south end of the Company's valley, (marsh,) and northeast from the Fort. In front, along the old ditch, three rods, and along the valley six rods; breadth behind, three rods three feet.

Grant to Rutgers Arentsen Van Seye, 1643.—*Description.*—A lot to the east of the common highway, north Cornelius Volkertsen. In front, four rods nine feet; depth along Volkertsen eighteen rods two feet; in the rear four rods nine feet.

Grant to Cornelius Volkertsen, 1643.—*Description.*—A double lot on the common highway. In front, nine rods eight feet, and below, on the marsh, same breadth; in length, on north and south sides, eighteen rods two feet.

Grant to Thomas Sandersen, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot for a house and garden along the public highway. On north of lot of Andries Hudden, in front four rods five feet; in length, on north side, till to the marsh, eighteen rods two feet, and along the marsh four rods five feet.

Grant to Adam Roelantsen, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot east of Arent the Smith, along the road seven rods nine feet; further, eight rods two feet, and further, to the garden of Philip Geraerdy, four rods two feet; and along his said garden five rods.

Grant to Teuntje Jonas, 1643.—*Description.*—A lot south of the Fort, and west of Jacob Constable. In length, along Constable, eleven rods and two feet; in front, two rods five feet.

Grant to Cornelis Melyn, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot for two houses, on the East river, where Abel Reddenhans lies, next eastward. In breadth, along the river, five rods; in length, on the west side, seven rods; on the north side, or rear, five rods; on the east seven rods. Through this lot runs the common ditch, feet till to the East river.

Grant to Philip Geraerdy, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot for two houses on the public highway, north of the lot of Cornelis Volkertsen. In front eight rods six feet, on the north side seventeen rods, in rear eight rods, on the south side eighteen rods two feet.

GRANT TO MICHAEL MARSHAN, 1644.—*Description.*—A lot near the Fort, extending along the common ditch, eleven rods two feet; on north, by lot of Pieter Highlander, five rods; on the south side six rods eight feet, on the east side ten rods four feet.

GRANT TO CLAES JANSEN VAN NAERDEN, 1644.—*Description.*—A double lot between Rem Jansen and William Cornelisen Coster, southerly from the Fort. In front five rods five feet, on the east side, to the strand, eight rods; in the rear, along the shore, five rods five feet; and on the west side, from the strand to the road, five rods four feet.

GRANT TO HENDRICK JANSEN SMITH, 1644.—*Description.*—A lot east of Gerret Douwman and De Boy Jansen. It extends along the lot of Loockermans and Allerton ten rods five feet; on the east side nine rods seven feet, on the west side nine rods six feet; and an inward corner on the south side, five rods five feet, to the front of the lot; on the west, two rods three in front of the lot. Length eight rods two feet; in all, one hundred and twenty-three rods.

GRANT TO PIETER JANSEN VAN JORCUM, 1644.—*Description.*—Lot formerly occupied by Gerret Douwman, on the common highway, north of De Boy Jansen, west of Hendriek Jansen Smith. In front eight rods eight feet, on the north end four rods five feet, on the east side, next Hendrick Jansen Smith, ten rods two feet; on the south side, next De Boy Jansen, two rods nine feet. In all, thirty-five rods six feet.

GRANT TO JAN SNEDIGER, 1645.—*Description.*—A double lot, south of the Fort, bounded east by Hans Hansen; west, Jacob Constable, five rods four feet in front; on the side of Hansen, nine rods eight feet; on the rear, next the Fort, four rods.

GRANT TO THOMAS SANDERSON, 1645.—*Description.*—Lot at the west end of the ditch, bounded by the south end of the lot of Wylen Martin Ael, extending before, on the south side, four rods one foot; on west six rods three feet, on east six rods five feet; on the north, next the lot of said Martin Ael, six rods three feet.

GRANT TO LEENDERT AERDEN, 1645.—*Description.*—Lot south of Aert Tunisen, on the common highway, four rods eight feet front; on the south side seventeen rods, on the east side, in the rear, five rods; on the north side, next Tennisen, seventeen rods.

GRANT TO OLOF STEVENSEN VAN CORTLAND, 1645.—*Description.*—A lot on the road between Gysbert Opdyck and Harman Myndertsen, bounded on north side or rear by William Mowritz. In breadth, in front or the south side, on the road, five rods four feet; on the east, next to Opdyck, ten rods one foot; in breadth, on the north side, six rods two feet; on the west side, next to Myndertsen, nine rods two feet.

GRANT TO ARIEN PIETERSEN VAN ALKMAAR, 1645.—*Description.*—A lot north of the Fort, north of Martin Crigier. It extends, on the west end, in length eleven rods three feet; on the north side seven rods nine feet, on

the east side nine rods nine feet; on the south side, next to Martin Crigier, eleven rods nine feet.

Grant to Richard Smith, 1645.—*Description.*—A lot at the East river, west of the lot of Thomas Willett. It extends, next Willett, on his east end, five rods in length from the shore; on the south, eleven rods one foot, on the east side four rods seven feet; on the north side, along the wagon road, twelve rods four feet.

Grant to Tunis Tomassen Van Naerden, 1645.—*Description.*—A lot on the north-east side of Fort Amsterdam. It extends, on the south side, in length, next to the lots of Isaac De Forest and Philip Geraerdy, nine rods eight feet; in front, by the road, with an out-point of one rod four feet; on the west side, along said road, eight rods three feet; on the north side, next the road, till to the lot of William Morris, five rods five feet; further, along said lot, till to the lot of Isaac De Forest, six rods six feet; further, to place of beginning, one rod three feet.

Grant to Jochem Calder, 1645.—*Description.*—A lot next Pieter the chimney-sweeper.

Grant to Jan Skediger, 1645.—*Description.*—A lot bounded west of William Bredenbent, with a northern corner touching the lot of Hendrick Jansen Smith; then next the ditch, on the south side, eight rods eight feet; on the east side, by William Bredenbent, five rods eight feet; on the north side, next Aert Willemsen and Hendrick Jansen Smith, seven rods eight feet; on the west side six rods six feet.

Grant to Isaac De Forest, 1645.—*Description.*—Lot on west of Philip Geraerdy, on the south side two rods five feet; on the west side four rods one foot, on the east side five rods nine feet, on the north there is an alley three rods nine feet long, four feet broad.

Grant to Pieter Andersen, 1645.—*Description.*—A lot behind the public tavern, betwixt Jacob Wolfertsen and Jochem Calder; in front three rods, on the east side eight rods five feet; on the west, next Calder, seven rods five feet.

Grant to Edward Marrel, 1645.—*Description.*—Lot on or at the swamp, east of the lots of Isaac Allerton and Govert Loockermans, and behind the lots of Mr. Paulus and William Bredenbent; in breadth, on the west side, five rods; in length, on the north side, fourteen rods; on the east (qu. south.) side fourteen rods.

Grant to Jacob Wolfertsen Van Cowenhoven, 1645.—*Description.*—A lot for a dwelling-house, brewery and garden, lying behind the public inn, between Wessel Evertsen and Pieter Andersen, the chimney-sweeper. In front five rods four feet two inches, on the east side nine rods three feet five inches; in breadth, behind, five rods five feet six inches; on the west side eight rods five feet.

Grant to Roelof Jansen Haes, 1646.—*Description.*—A lot about north-east from the Fort, on the road over against the lots of Andries

Hudden and Martin Crigier. In front, along the road, seven rods four feet; on the north side, by the ditch, till to the lot of Claes Van Elslant, six rods one foot; on the east side, next Elslant, eight rods five feet, and on the south side, along the oblique road, four rods six feet.

Grant to Abram Rycken, 1646.—*Description.*—A lot along the ditch, heretofore occupied by Pieter Italian. On the south side, next Adrian Vincent, four rods eight feet; along the ditch ten rods; on the north side, or along the road, three rods; on the east side, along Laurens Pietersen, ten rods.

Grant to Pieter Wolfertsen, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot between O. Stevensen and said Wolfertsen, next Stevensen ten rods, next Wolfertsen ten rods, in front four rods.

Grant to Pieter Vanderlinden, 1646.—*Description.*—A lot on south, close to the Fiscal's kitchen. West, to the privy of the preacher; on the east two rods; on the north, against the kitchen, one rod six feet; on the west two rods, on the south one rod eight feet.

Grant to George Holmes, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot east of the Fort, between the company's store-houses and the Fort. On the south end of the lot of Jan Haes, in breadth, in front, on the east side, two rods; in length, on the north side, five rods five feet; behind, on the side of the Fort, two rods; on the south side five rods five feet.

Grant to Paulus Vanderbeek, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot between William Bredenbent and the sign of the Lion. In front of the ditch, or on the south side, six rods three feet; on the east side, or next said sign of the Lion, eleven rods eight feet; on the north side, or behind, on the swamp, six rods six feet; on the west side, next Bredenbent, thirteen rods.

Grant to Wessel Evertsen, 1646.—*Description.*—A lot bounded east of Jacob Wolfertsen, west of Burger Jorisen. On the south side seventeen rods five feet, on the west side nine rods three feet, in the rear or north side fifteen rods five feet; on the east side, next Jorisen, six rods nine feet.

Grant to Isaac De Forest, 1646.—*Description.*—A lot east of the Fort, over against the five stone houses, bstween Sybout Clasen and Domine Bogardus. In breadth, on the east side, two rods; on the west one rod nine feet; on the north side, in length, five rods five feet; on the south side the same.

Grant to Govert Loockermans, 1646.—*Description.*—A lot on the ditch, heretofore granted to Anthony Jansen, but not improved. It extends along the ditch, on the west side, six rods; on the south side, on the public road, four rods three feet; on the east side, next Michael Paulusen, six rods six feet; in rear, on the north end, two rods five feet.

Grant to Pieter Cornelisen, Carpenter, 1646.—*Description.*—A lot bounded on north of lots of Hendrick Kip, Anthony Jansen and Hendrick Smith. Extending east and west, along the road to the brew-house of the company, eleven rods three feet; from the road, or the corner of the brew-

house, in a southerly direction, in breadth four and one half rods; from the said road to the corner of Kip's palisades, its net breadth is four rods; on the east end its breadth is one rod six and one half feet. It is reserved that in case it should be thought proper to widen the road, it may be done without claim of Cornelisen.

GRANT TO GERRIT DOUWMAN, 1646.—*Description.*—A lot, in breadth, on the east side, along the ditch, three rods seven feet; in length, on the south side, next Jan Cornelisen, seven rods nine and one half feet; on the west, along the lot of said Cornelisen, four rods one foot; on the north side, along the road, seven rods nine and one half feet.

GRANT TO MICHAEL PAULUZEN, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot at east of Anthony Jansen's lot, in breadth, in front, on the south side, three rods two feet; on the east, next Barent Jansen, seven rods one foot; on the west, next Anthony Jansen, seven rods eight feet.

GRANT TO CORS PIETERSEN, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot south of the Fort, next to Gillis Pietersen.

GRANT TO ROELOF JANSEN, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot next to Pieter Cornelisen; on the south side, one rod seven feet, next Cornelisen four rods; in rear, on north side, one rod seven feet; on the west side four rods nine feet.

GRANT TO HANS KIERSTEDE, SURGEON, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot between the company's ware-house, on the strand, and the lot of Roelof Jansen. In breadth, on the strand, or south-side, one rod five feet eight inches; in length, next the ware-house, four rods nine inches; next Roelof Jansen four rods nine inches, in rear one rod eight feet.

To which was added, by Gov. Stuyvesant, in 1653, lot north of the above, on west side, seven rods five feet; on the east side, eight rods nine inches; and in 1656, four feet in width added to the latter.

GRANT TO PAULUS HEYMANS, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot sout-hwest of the Fort, extending on the same side four and one half rods; on the strand, mostly north and south, three rods nine feet; next to Francis Doughty, preacher, four rods eight feet; and in rear, near the Fort, two rods four feet.

GRANT TO EVERT JANSEN, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot east of Claes Van Elslant, being separated by a road. Its length, on the north side, or on the ditch, eight rods seven feet; on the east side five rods seven feet; on the south side eight rods three feet, on the west side five rods seven feet.

GRANT TO JAN EVERSEN BOUT, 1646.—*Description.*—A lot lying south of the Fort, in length, on the east side, nine rods four feet, next Barent Jansen; in breadth, on the south side, on the river, seven rods seven feet; on the west side eight rods three feet; on the north side, by the Fort, six rods two feet.

GRANT TO ROBERT BUTLER, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot bounded south by George Holmes, north by Everardus Bogardus, breadth, on the street, two rods four and one half feet.

GRANT TO OLOFF STEVENSEN VAN CORTLAND, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot along the East river, bounded east by the company's house and lot. It extends, in length, along said lot seven and two tenths rods; in breadth, on the river, or south side, one and seven tenths rods; in length, along Thomas Hall, seven and six tenths rods.

(Additional application has been made that the passage-way to the late church may be stopped up, so that the lot may be enlarged on that side, from one to two feet, which is granted.)

GRANT TO THOMAS BAXTER, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot east from the Company's houses, standing on the East river, over against Hendrick Smith; on the west side, from strand to strand, two rods eight and one half feet; on the south side, along the strand, four and one half rods; on the east side, two rods eight and one half feet; on the north, four and one half rods.

GRANT TO PIETER VANDERLINDER, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot north of the ditch, in front on the road or ditch, sixteen rods four feet; north to a trench in the marsh till to the road, two and one half rods.

GRANT TO CLAES VAN ELSLANT, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot in rear of Roelof Jansen; in breadth on the west side, eight rods four and one half feet; on the north side, twelve rods five feet; on the east side, five rods five feet.

GRANT TO HANS HANSEN, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot south of the Fort, between Jan Snediger and Joris Rapelje; on the east side next to Joris, nine rods two feet; in the rear or north side, one rod nine feet; next to Snediger; on the west side, nine rods eight feet; in front, two rods two feet.

GRANT TO COSYN GERRITSEN, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot on the public highway, between Rutgers Arents and Tunis Nyseno; in breadth on the road, four rods two feet; in the rear on the east side, four rods; on the south side, eighteen rods two feet; on the north, the same.

GRANT TO JAN MONFORT, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot on the north-east side of the ditch, mostly in rear of Evert Duychink; on the east side, ten rods eight feet; on the north side on the swamp, eight rods; on the west side next Pieter Monfort, eleven rods four feet; on the south side in front, seven rods six feet.

GRANT TO ABRAHAM PLANK, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot bounded east by Hendrich Kip, west by Pieter Vanderlinden; in front on the south side, one and seven tenths rods; next Vanderlinden, five and two tenths rods; in rear on Pieter Cornelisen, one and three tenths rods; next Kip, five and two tenths rods.

GRANT TO PIETER MONFORT, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot north-east of the ditch, bounded west of Jan Monfort; in breadth on the south side in front, seven rods six feet; on the west side, twelve rods; on the north side, eight rods, and on the east along Jan Monfort.

Grant to Lambert Van Valkenb ge, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot south of the Fort and bounded on east end of lot of Jan Evertsen; it extends next to the road or on the east side, nine rods one foot; on the south side in front of the house, one rod three feet; on the west side, next Jan Evertsen, eight rods nine feet and on north toward the Fort, one rod three feet.

Grant to Claes Jansen Backer, 1645.—*Description.*—Lot on south side or in front, one rod four and one half feet; on west side next George Rapelje, three rods two feet; on the north, one rod and one half foot; on the east, next Gillis Pietersen, three rods two feet.

Grant to Joris Rapelje, 1646.—*Description.*—Lot in front on south side or street, two rods; on west side, eight rods five feet; on the north side, two rods nine and one half feet; on the east side, eight rods five feet.

Grant to William Cornelisen, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot on the public ditch; in breadth south on the road over against the lot of Gerrit Douwman, eight rods three feet; on the north side, eight rods three feet; on the east side over against Abraham Rycken, five rods three feet; on the west along the lot of Evert Jansen Snyder, five rods three feet.

Grant to Pieter Lawrensen, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot over against Hendrick Kip; on the street northerly, two rods two feet; on the south, one rod seven feet nine inches; on the west, two rods eight feet; on the east two rods four feet.

Grant to Rem Jansen, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot on the street between Claes De Ruyter and the company's bakery; in breadth, two rods three feet; in the rear on the strand, three rods; on the other sides, six and one half rods.

Grant to Jochem Pietersen, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot bounded east by Cors Pietersen; in front on the street or south side, twenty-four feet; on the west side, eighty-seven and one half feet; on the east side, seventy-four feet.

Grant to Jochem Kiersted, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot south of Jan Pietersen; on the east side along strand of the East river, three rods four and one half feet; in rear on the west side, three rods four and one half feet; on the south and north sides, 8 rods.

Grant to Juricen Blanck, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot south of the Fort, between Jan Jansen Schepmoes and Gillies Pietersen; in front, two rods four feet; on the south side in the rear, two rods two feet; in length, eight rods four and one half feet; on the east side, eight rods five and one half feet; before granted to Tunis Jansen but not improved for three years.

Grant to Tunis Kray, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot on the common ditch, north of Michael Picket; on the ditch or east side, four rods five feet; in

rear or west side, four rods one foot nine inches; on the south side, next Picket, three rods one foot.

GRANT TO CORNELIS TUNISEN, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot between Jan Jansen Schepmoes and Claes Jansen Ruyter; on the street or north side, two rods; in rear on south side, two rods five feet; on the west along Ruyter, eight rods nine feet; on the east side along Schepmoes, eight rods nine feet.

GRANT TO AUGUSTYN KEERMANS, 1647.—*Description.*—Land near the Fort, bounded east by land of Derick Cornelisen, extending out from the corner of Borger's clapboard tall to the outmost post, sixteen rods nine feet; on the north against the company's land, sixteen rods seven feet; on the west, against the company's land, twenty rods; on the south against Burger's land, sixteen rods four feet.

GRANT TO THOMAS HALL, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot bounded west by Mr. Augustyn Heerman; east by Mr. Hardenberg; in front on south side, one and one half rods two feet; in rear same; in length, six rods four inches.

GRANT TO SYBOUT CLASEN, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot along the public highway, bounded south by Cornelius Groesens; north by Pieter Gœlet; in breadth in front, four rods; in length to the post and rail fence of Jan Damen.

GRANT TO SARGENT HUYBERTSEN, 1647.—*Description.*—Lot south of the Fort, west of Jan Evertsen Bout; on the east side, eight rods three feet; on the north side, two rods four feet; on the west side, five rods three feet; on the south side, three rods eight feet.

GRANT TO BALTA LAGAR STUYVESANT, 1649.—*Description.*—Lot west of the great public road, bounded south by Nicholas William Stuyvesant; in front on the road, from north of the garden of the noble company; its breadth is seven and one half Rhenish rods; on each side, twenty rods; in the rear on the North river, its breadth is seven and one half rods.

GRANT TO NICHOLAS WILLIAM STUYVESANT, 1649.—*Description.*—Lot west of the great public road; south by Hendrick Van Dyck; north by Balta Lagar Stuyvesant; along the road, seven and one half Rhenish rods; in length on both sides, twenty rods; on the west side along the river, seven and one half rods.

GRANT TO PHILIP GERAERDY, in 1643.—*Description.*—Lot east of the Fort, between Arent the Smith and Adam Roelantser; in front, two rods one foot; in length, two rods five feet, then striking out behind A. Rollants with a triangular crooked corner, three rods six feet; it goes along by the garden six rods four feet, and so behind the garden; it is in breadth, four rods seven feet five inches, then it runs by Arient the Smith to the lot belonging to the house where runs another little corner near the Fort, of one rod five feet, then further to the house, three rods three feet.

GRANT TO CORNELIUS VAN TIENHOVEN, 1654.—*Description.*—Lot in the

sheep pasture, having the lot of N. De Sille, on the south southwest side, extending in length, along De Sille, twenty-four rods, Rynland measure; in front, extending in breadth from lot of N. De Sille to lot of Carel Van Brugh, north northeast, seven rods, eight feet, Rynland measure; and from the front corner of Van Brugh's lot, northwest by west, twenty-four rods in length, and in rear in breadth, between De Sille and Van Brugh, about east by south, three rods, eight feet.

GRANT TO WILLIAM BREDENBENT, 1654.—*Description.*—Lot in rear of Clas Van Elslant, in breadth in front, along the street, four rods, two feet; in breadth in the rear, east and west to the lot of Coenraet Ten Eyck, three rods, seven and three-quarter feet; in length, on west side, along Egbert Wontersen, fourteen rods, four feet; and on the east side, along Paulus Vanderbeeck, eleven rods, four feet.

GRANT TO ABRAHAM CLOCK, 1655.—*Description.*—Lot on the east side of the lot of Richard Smith, and on west side of the road which Borger Joris uses to go to the river side, and runs four and a half rods; then east, to the road of Borger Joris, four rods; thence to the street or highway, four and a half rods; and then along the said street to the division line of Richard Smith, four rods.

GRANT TO PETER RUDOLPHUS, 1656.—*Description.*—Lot in the sheep pasture, bounded on the north side by Joseph Kip; on the south side, by R. Reyndersen; on the west side, by Aert Willemsen, and on the east side, by the street. In breadth, on the east side or street, two rods, five and a half feet; on the west side, twelve rods, three and a half feet. In length, on the north side, eleven rods, one and a half feet; on the south side, seventeen rods.

GRANT TO NICHOLAS BACKER, 1656.—*Description.*—Lot adjoining lot of Michael Jansen; in breadth, on the north side or street, two rods, three feet, two and a half inches; on the south side, two rods, five inches; on the west side, four rods, three feet.

GRANT TO HANS DREPER, 1656.—*Description.*—Lot opposite to Hendriek Willemsen Beaker; in breadth, on the street or north side, two rods, seven feet; on south side, two rods, five feet; in length, on west side, three rods and on the east side, two rods, th ee feet, three inches.

GRANT TO PETER WOLFERTSEN VAN COUWENHOVEN, 1665.—*Description.*—Land lying in the valley abutting upon the land of Mr. Samuel Drissius; which, on the west side, contains seventy-one and a half feet; on the south side, one hundred feet; on the east side, 66 feet, and on the north side, ninety-seven feet—Holland measure, of eleven inches the foot.

GRANT TO JACOB WOLFERTSEN VAN COUWENHOVEN, 1656.—*Description.*—The lot, with the building commonly called the Old Church, at the East river, on the north side, opposite to H. H. Kip; being in breadth as the same is situated, and lying between the house of Hendriek Jansen Smith, and the lane which runs between C. Van Tienhoven's house and the Old Church; and in length, from the range of the street to the river.

Grant to Hendrick Jansen De Bœr, 1656.—*Description.*— Lot in the rear of the lot of Hendrick Jansen Smith; in breadth, on the north side, one rod, nine feet; on the south side, between Samuel Edsall and the Old Church, one rod, eight feet; on the west side, two rods, four and a half feet; and on the east side, two and a half rods.

Grant to Nicholas Bernard, 1657.—*Description.*—Lot in the sheep pasture; in breadth, on west side or street, twenty-seven feet; in length, on both sides, sixty-six feet, all wood measure.

In the English confirmatory grants, reference is made to the original grant to Hendrick Van Dyck, in 1649, on what was, at the time of the English, called Broadway; north of Paulus Leendersen Vandiegrist; south of the Orchard; on Broadway, six and a half rods; in the rear, seven rods; in length, fourteen rods. Also, an addition granted in 1654, next to Vandiegrist, of one rod, six feet; and on the north side, of one rod and five feet. Also, of lot behind his other lot, containing, on south side, eighty-four feet; on the west side, ninety-seven feet; on the north side, seventy-nine feet; and on the east side, ninety feet.

In the English confirmatory grants reference is made to original *grant* in 1650, to Jochem Pietersen Ruyter. *Description*—Lot south of the fort, containing, in front or south side, twenty-four feet, wood measure; in length, on west side, next to Cors Pietersen, eighty-seven and a half feet; on the east side, seventy-four feet, wood measure.

In the English confirmatory grants, reference is made to an original grant to Tunis Kray. *Description*—Lot on west of the ditch, having to the south, Pieter Shaffbank and Simon Jansen Romeyn; to the west, Isaac Kip; to the north, Stone street; and to the east, the graft in front, twenty-nine feet, four inches; on the west side, thirty feet, four inches; on the north side, three rods, eight feet, eight inches; on the south, three rods, six feet, five inches.

In the English confirmatory grants, reference is made to an original grant to Evert Duyching, in 1643. *Description*—Lot to the east of the land then belonging to the widow of Claes Verning, and to the west of the negroes' plantation; next to his own land, and behind the valley or meadow ground heretofore appertaining to the West India Company, striking in breadth toward the highway, ten rods, two feet, two inches; and behind, toward the valley or meadow, ten rods, one foot, six inches; in length, on the east side, twelve rods, seven feet, four inches; and on that side, toward the negroes, nineteen rods, three inches.

In the English confirmatory grants, reference is made, in 1651, to an original

Grant to Coenraet Ten Eyck.—*Description.*—Lot between Albert Trumpeter and Gerritt Douwman, in breadth on the east side on the street two rods, in rear two rods one foot; in length on south side, seven rods, three and one half feet; and on the north side seven rods, six and one half feet.

In same, reference is also made to transfer by Barent Meyndertsen and Wessel Evertsen, (supposed to be original grantees) to Coenraet Ten Eyck, in 1652. *Description*, Lot to east of Isaac Allerton and G. Loockermans, behind those of Bredenbent and Vanderbeeck.

In the English confirmatory grants, reference is made to lot of Jacob Basher to south of Prince's street, having to the west Jochem Beekman; to the north the street, to the east R. Roelantsen's and Wm. Abraham's; to the south the house and lot of Evert Duychings; containing on north side forty-four feet eight inches; on south side forty-two feet; on the east side ninety-four feet; on west one hundred and ten feet, (not an original grant)

Also, another sold to Backer, by Duychings and Gauches, east of the lot above-described, having to the south Duychings and Gauches, being on east side one hundred and ten feet; on west one hundred and twenty-seven feet ; on north thirty-three feet; on south thirty-two feet six inches.

Also, to another, conveyed to Backer, conveyed by L. Andries. Lying on east of the graft bounded by lots of Jochem Beekman on north; Evert Duychings on east; and Jan Rutgers on south; front on graft or west side three rods one foot; depth to Duychings' lots.

In the English confirmatory grants, reference is made to an original grant to Jochem Calder, the *description* of which, at the time of the confirmation; (1667) was as follows : Lot, having to the west the house and ground of Aldert Cornick, to the north the Slyck Steegh; to the east the house and ground of Jochem Backer; to the south the high street, twenty-one feet three inches in front; in depth six rods, two feet and seven inches on the east side; on the west side six rods and seven feet.

In the English confirmatory grants, reference is made to an original grant to Paulus Leendern Vandiegrist. *Description*, lot lying toward the East river, having to the west Pieter Cornelisen, and to the east the packhouse, formerly of the West India company. In front twenty-four feet, in depth one hundred and seven feet.

In the same, reference is also made to an original grant in 1649, to P. L. Vandiegrist, of which the *description*, at the time of the confirmation was as follows : Lot on west side of Broadway, to the north of the churchyard, and south of Hendrick Van Dyck; front along Broadway six and one half rods; rear, toward the strand, seven rods; length fourteen rods. Also, a subsequent addition of one rod and seven feet on the south side of said lot next the church-yard, and on the north side, next to Van Dyck, of one rod and six feet. Also, an addition, in 1657, of a lot lying behind his other lots, containing on the north side eighty-four feet, on west side, ninety-seven feet; on south side eighty-five feet, and on east side ninety feet.

In the English confirmatory grants, reference is made to original

Grant to Augustyn Heermans in 1647.—*Description*.—A piece of land lying in the street commonly called the Smith's street, abutting upon the land of Nicasius De Sille and Hans Kiersted, which land contains

on the east side sixteen rods, nine feet and seven inches; on the north side sixteen rods and seven feet, on the west side twenty rods, and on the south side sixteen rods and four feet.

In the English confirmatory grants, reference is made to original

Grant to Nicasius de Sille.—*Description*—Lot in Schaapen Waytie, there where the lots of La Montagnie, Bryan Newton, and Cornelius Van Ruyven lay next unto his on the south southwest side, striking along the said lots, in length twenty-four rods, before on the northwest and by west side to the lot of Cornelius Van Tienhoven, which lies north northeast from the said lot, striking in breadth seven rods and eight feet; and along the lot of Cornelius Van Tienhoven before named, of the length of twenty-four rods, Rynland measure, behind in breadth toward the east, and by south points, three rods and eight feet.

Grant to Roelof Jansen in 1646.—*Description.*—Lot next Pieter Cornelisen extends in breadth on south side one rod seven feet; in length next the lot of said Cornelisen, four rods nine feet; in rear, or north side, its breadth is one rod and seven feet, and on the west side four rods and nine feet.

Grant to Jan A. Rycken and Abm. Rycken.—*Description.*—Lot bounded west by M. Heyl, extending mostly north five rods three feet; mostly east two rods eight feet.

Grant to Philip Geraerdy.—*Description.*—Lot on Broadway, eight rods six feet front; seventeen rods deep on north side; eighteen rods, two feet and five inches deep on the south side.

Grant to Cornelis Van Ruyven in 1651.—*Description.*—Lot in the sheep pasture, in breadth on the south side, along Albert Pietersen Drummer, seven rods on the north side, extending into the sheep pasture seven rods; in length on the east side along the division line of Mr. La Montagnie's land ten rods and one half foot; in length on west side ten rods and one half foot; but in case there should be a bulwark or street laid out along said lot, the same shall be used for that purpose.

Grant to Carel Van Brugh, in 1651.—*Description.*—Lot in the sheep pasture, having the lot of C. Van Tienhoven adjoining it on the south southwest side, extending in length along Van Tienhoven's twenty-four Rynland rods; in front extending in breadth from Tienhoven's lot to the land of Dr. Samuel Drissius, which lays north northeast from him seven rods eight feet; and along the land of S. Drissius, in length twenty-four rods; in rear on east and south sides in breadth three rods eight feet.

Grant to Margrietje Provoost in 1657.—*Description*—Lot in the sheep pasture, adjoining on north side of lot of Isaac Kip, and on the south side the lot of the deacons; in the rear of the lot of the Geurt Coorten, broad in front on the street or east side thirty feet; in rear on the west side thirty feet; in length on the south side nine rods three feet; in length on the north side nine rods one foot.

Grant to Christian Barentzen, Carpenter, in 1657.—*Description.*—A lot at the land gate, in breadth on the west side, being the public highway, three rods eight feet and four inches; on the east side, one rod six feet and four inches; in length on the north side, eleven rods two feet; and on the south side, eleven rods one foot and nine inches.

Grant to Nicasius De Sille, in 1657.—*Description.*—Lot at the water side, being on the north side twenty-two feet; on the south side thirty feet; on the west side sixty-two feet; and on the east side along the water sixty feet eight inches, all in wood measure.

Grant to Frederick Philipse, in 1658.—*Description.*—Lot at the Marketfield, next the lot of Mr. Jacob Vanravanger, whereon Joost de Backer now lives; in breadth on south side twenty-seven feet; on the north side one rod; in length on the west side six rods nine feet; on the east side seven rods two feet and six inches.

Grant to Jan Jansen Van Langendyke, in 1658.—*Description.*—Lot in breadth on the north side two rods three feet; on the south side three rods nine feet eleven inches; in length on the east side ten rods seven feet; on the west side ten rods and seven feet.

Grant to Andries Andriesen in 1660.—*Description.*—Lot on the west side of Smee straat; on the south side of the lot of Cosyntje, and north of lot of Arent Lowerntsen, in breadth on the east side thirty feet; on the west side three rods in length; on the north side six rods eleven and one half feet; on the south side the same.

Grant to Albert Cornelisen in 1660.—*Description.*—Lot between Pieter de Noorman and Teuntje Straatmans, in breadth on the north side thirty wood feet; on the south side thirty-one feet; in length on the east side thirty-seven feet six inches; on the west side forty feet.

Grant to Albert Jansen, Carpenter, in 1660.—*Description.*—Lot on Smee straat; south, Janneken Bonns; north, Garden street; west, Smee straat; east of Carel Van Brugh; in breadth on the east side twenty-three feet; on the west side fourteen feet four inches; in length on the south side five rods and three feet; on the north side five rods six feet six inches.

Grant to Frans Jansen Van Hooghten in 1661.—*Description.*—Lot to the west of Hans Dreper, and east of Nicholas Jansen Backer, stretching from strand to street; in breadth on the north side twenty-seven feet four inches; on the south side twenty-seven feet one inch.

Grant to Pieter Andriesen, Chimney-sweeper, in 1661—*Description.*—Lot on west side of J. Jansen Moesman, on the east of Pieter De Noorman; on the north of Jacob Vanravanger; on the south side of the Shoe, being called the Shingle; in breadth on the north side three rods seven feet five inches; on south side three rods one foot in length; on the west side nine rods one foot; on the east side seven rods one foot and six inches.

Grant to Adrian Van Laar, 1661.—*Description.*—Lot on the east of

Hendrick Blaurock, on the west of Cornelis Jansen, in breadth on the south side twenty-one feet; on the north side twenty feet seven inches; in length on west side seventy-six feet eight inches; on the east side sixty-nine feet.

Grant to Jacob Kip, 1661.—*Description.*—Lot in the sheep pasture on south by the lot of the Deacons, in the rear of lot of Genrt Coerten; breadth on the street in front, or east side, thirty feet; in rear, west side, thirty feet; in length on south side nine rods three feet; on the north side nine rods one foot.

Grant to Samuel Edsal in 1656.—*Description.*—Lot bounded on the west side by Hendrick Jansen Smith; on the east side by Nicholas Backer; is in breadth on the street or north side two rods three feet two and one half inches; on the south side two rods five inches; in length on the west side five rods, and on the east side three rods five feet and five inches.

Grant to Isaac Kip in 1656.—*Description.*—Lot in the sheep pasture, in breadth on the east side, or street, two rods and four feet wood measure, and on the west side, adjoining Cornelius Jansen Appenbunk two rods and four feet wood measure; in length along Jacob Kip, on south side, ten rods two feet and one half, and on the north side along the company's land nine rods and three and one half feet.

Grant to Jacob Kip, 1656.—*Description.*—Lot in the sheep pasture, in breadth on the east side, or street, two rods four feet wood measure, on the west side adjoining Mathys Bapito, two rods and four feet wood measure; in length on the south side, adjoining Pieter Rudolphus, eleven rods one foot; on the north side, adjoining Isaac Kip, ten rods and two and one half feet.

Grant to Frederick Philipse, 1658.—*Description.*—Lot in Brewer's street, east of the Markvelt.

Grant to Jacob Hendricks Vanravanger, 1649.—*Description.*—Lot between Augustin Heermans and Jan Jansen Damen, having on south side Smith street, or the High street, containing on the west side eight rods and two fifths; on the east side nine rods and two fifths, on the north side twelve rods, and on the south side eleven rods and five feet.

Grant to Tousien Briel, 1651.—*Description.*—Lot north side of the moat between ground of Philip De Truyn and Claes Heermans; on south side toward the street, four rods and one half foot; on the north the same; on the east ten and half rods; on the west ten rods and seven feet.

In English confirmatory grants, reference is made to an original

Grant to Adrien Vincent in 1646.—*Description.*—Lot striking along the Common graft eleven rods and two feet, bounded on north side by the ground of Pieter Italian five rods in breadth; on south side six rods eight feet five inches; on the east side ten rods four feet and two inches.

Grant to Pieter Jansen Trumbolt, 1664.—*Description*—Lot in the sheep-way, to the west of Pieter Anderson, chimney-sweeper, having in

breadth, on north side of the street, two rods three feet; on south side the like; on the west side eight rods six feet and on the east seven rods, four feet and five inches.

In the English confirmatory grants reference is made to a grant in 1645, to Thomas Willett, described in the confirmation as a lot lying toward the East river, to the east of the present state house, next toward the said state house, eight rods two feet before toward the water fourteen rods five feet on the east side next to Mr. Smith's, six rods five feet; and on the north side behind to the highway, nine rods eight feet and four inches.

Grant to Nicasius de Sille in 1654, referred to.—*Description.*—A lot in the sheep pasture, having the lots of Mr. La Montagnie, Bryan Newton and Cornelis Van Ruyven adjoining on the south southwest side, extending in length along said lots twenty-four rods in front; on the northwest by west side to the lot of Cornelis Van Tienhoven, which adjoins the aforesaid lot on the north northeast side; in breadth seven rods eight feet, and along the lot of said Van Tienhoven twenty-four Rynland rods; in breadth in rear, east by south, three rods and eight feet.

This lot was resurveyed in 1657, and found to contain on the west side ninety-eight feet, on the north side three hundred and forty feet, and on the south side three hundred and sixty-four feet wood measure.

Grant to Adrian Dircksen Coen in 1656.—*Description* —Lot between Evert Duyching and Adrian Vincent In breadth along the street or south side three rods; in rear five rods, saving one half foot; in length on west side five rods seven feet ; in the rear of the negroes' house in breadth two rods six feet; along said house three rods; in length on north-east side eight rods two feet.

Grant to Dominie Samuel Drissius in 1654.—*Description.*—Piece of land on the west ef the common wagon road, in the rear of the burying-ground. In length on the east side twelve rods and two feet; on the west side twelve rods three and one half feet; in breadth on south side six rods; on the north side six rods three and one half feet.

Grant to Jan Martyn in 1650.—*Description.*—Lot, house and garden to the east of the strand of the North river, having to the north the house and lot of Martin Crigier; to the east that of the widow of Pieter Cock, deceased; to the south a certain wagon way to the strand of the North river, and to the west the North river; containing in length on the east side, next widow of P. Cocks, six rods three feet; on the west, along the river, six rods; on the south side four rods seven feet; on the north side three rods three feet.

Reference is made to Abraham Clock's lot, at the water side, beginning at R. Smiths' lot near the strand, and containing in length four and one half rods; then going east to Borger Joris' path, it is in breadth four rods, then to the street or highway, same length, and along the street to the fence of R. Smith, breadth as before.

Reference is made to a grant by Gov. Kieft to Anthony Jansen on the east side of the graft, in length along the graft on the west side of the lot seven rods and two feet; on the east seven rods and five feet; on the south, toward the highway, three rods and six feet; on the north side two rods and six feet.

Grant to Samuel Edsal, 1650.—*Description.*—Lot, having on the west Hendrick Jansen Smiths; on the east Claes Backer; breadth on the north side toward the street, two rods and three feet; on the south side two rods and five inches; in length on the west side five rods; and on the east side three rods and five feet.

Grant to Matthew De Vos, 1651.—*Description.*—Lot on the East river, next Sybout Clasens; in breadth along the strand twenty-five feet; in rear twenty feet.

Grant to Thomas Broen, 1644.—*Description.*—Lot south of the Beaver path, between the Fort and the lot of Jan Stevensen; on the north side, along Beaver's path, eight rods; on the east side four rods and six feet; on the south side, next the Fort, eight rods seven feet; and next the strand on west four rods and seven feet

Grant to Abm. Jacob Van Steenwyck, 1643.—*Description.*—Lot to east of the Fort; in length, almost due north, eight rods one foot in breadth; about east five rods four feet and seven inches.

Grant to Albert Pietersen, Trumpeter, 1652.—*Description.*—Lot in the sheep pasture, in breadth in front, on south side of the street, three rods and one foot; and behind, on the north side, two rods and seven feet; in depth ten rods.



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CORNER of PECK SLIP & WATER ST. N.Y. 1857.

KEATING'S STORE, CORNER OF PECK SLIP AND WATER STREET.

Amid surrounding changes this building retains its primitive condition, and probably will do so, so long as its present worthy proprietor exists. It is supposed that, should some public spirited character offer to erect upon its site a marble edifice more in conformity with modern architecture, the worthy merchant who, for so many years, has daily vended his groceries and amassed a fortune in the ancient building, would decline the offer.

THE POLITICAL DISPUTES OF THE YEAR 1701, IN NEW YORK CITY.

The following copy of a journal, kept by the Mayor (Thomas Noell), is interesting as exhibiting the excited state of political feeling at that period of our history in which the English began numerically to gain the advantage of the Dutch. The two parties were known as the *Leislerians* and *anti Leislerians*. The former being composed, as will be seen by the names of the voters, mostly of the descendants of the Dutch; while the latter, with few exceptions, were English and French:—

"MEMORANDUM.

"On Tuesday, the 14th day of October, 1701, I was commissioned and sworn Mayor of the city of New York, before the Hon^ble. John Naufau, Esq., Lieutenant-Governor of this Province and Council, in his Maj^ts. Forte William Henry, and from thence, according to the usuall solemnity, I went to Trinity church, where was a sermon preached by Mr. Vesey; which ended, I went to the Citty Hall, attended by the Recorder, Aldermen and Assistants, and other officers, where, after the ringing of three bells, I published my commission, and then went up into the Court-house and tooke the chair, where Isaac D'Riemer, Esq., the late Mayor, delivered to me the charter and seals of this citty. Mr. Gouverneur, the Recorder, placed himselfe on the bench by me, as also did Johannes De Peyster, David Provoost, Jacob Boelen, Nicholas Roosevelt, and Martin Clock, Esqs., as Aldermen; and Mr. Peter Willemse Roome, Mr. Abraham Brasier, Mr. Gerrit Onclebag, Mr. Hendrick Jellison, and Mr. Abraham Mesier, as Assistants. Upon which I ordered the clerke to proceed to the swearing the new Aldermen and Assistants and other officers; but the Recorder, Aldermen and Assistants upon the bench told me, they were alréady sworne by the old Mayor, except Mr. Philip French, Alderman of the Dock Ward, and Mr. Robert Lurting, Assistant of the same ward, who were not present when they were sworn: whereupon the said Philip French and Robert Lurting, before me, had the oaths administered unto them appointed by Act of Parliament, instead of the oaths of allegiance and supremacy, and sub-

scribed the test and association, and were also sworne to the due execution of their respective offices, and accordingly tooke their places—which done, there were delivered to me six of her Majesty's writts of mandamus, directed to the Mayor and Recorder of the citty of New Yorke for the time being, one of which was for swearing Brandt Schuyler, Alderman of the South Ward of this Citty; another for swearing Johannes Jansen, Assistant of the said ward; another for swearing John Hutchins, Aldermen of the West Ward; another for swearing Robert White, Assistant of the said ward; another for swearing William Morris, Alderman of the East Ward; and another for swearing Jeremiah Tothill, Assistant of the said ward—one of which writts were openly read in the Court Room, and there being many people, severall disputes did arise thereupon Several affirming that the Aldermen and Assistants which were sworne by the old Mayor were not legally sworne, itt being contrary to the ancient Rights, Priviledges and Custom granted by the charter, and absolutely contradictory to all the usage in such cases; that itt has always been the usage for the new Mayor to swear the new Aldermen and Assistants and other officers, and that the Aldermen and Assistants which were sworne by the old Mayor had Corruptly and Illegally Returned themselves, and that the persons mentioned in the writts of mandamus were the persons legally elected, and desired they might be accordingly sworne. Upon which great heats arose, and I thought itt convenient to leave the chair, and dissolve that assembly, to prevent the danger that seem'd to threaten and for the preservation of the peace; upon which, the multitude dispersed.

"Since which time I have examined the Records of the said Citty, and doe finde that the Aldermen, Assistants and other officers of this Citty have always been sworne by the new Mayor, and that in all the said Books there is not one precedent that the old Mayor ever tooke that authority upon him. For the Regulation of which Irregular proceedings, I caused y^e^ Common Council to be summoned on Munday, the twentieth of October, in order to swear Jacob Boelen, Alderman of the North Ward, and Garret Onclebag, Assistant of the said ward; and also Martin Clock, Alderman of the Out Ward, and Abraham Mesier, Assistant of the said ward. And accordingly went up into the Court Room, and there acquainted y^e^ Gent. what I intended to do, who told me they were already sworn. That I answered, Not by me, nor by my knowledge or consent; and that I could not sitt with them as Aldermen and Assistants till they were sworne before me; and accordingly I offered to administer the oaths to them, which they Refused That I also told Mr. Johannes De Peyster, Mr. David Provoost, and Mr. Nicholas Roosevelt, and the pretended Assistants of their wards, that there was a caveat entered against their being sworne, and that itt was disputed whether they were legally elected, and therefore desired they would forbear to come upon the Bench till such time as their Right was Determined. Who answered, they were duly elected and sworne, and had a Right to sitt there, and would sitt there. On which I left the Room, telling them I could not act with them till itt was decided

whether they were Lawfully elected and sworne, according to the usage of this Citty; to which Mr. David Provoost answered, he would not be sworne by me, and thereupon I went home.

"*October* 21*st*.—This day, I and Alderman French went to the Citty Hall, in order to adjourn the Mayor's Court, where I found Mr. Johannes De Peyster, Mr. David Provoost, and Mr Nicholas Roosevelt, who followed me up into the Court Room, and there stood till I and Alderman French had opened and adjourned the Mayor's Court, and afterwards went away

"On the same day, I discoursed with Mr. Abraham Gouverneur, the Recorder of the said Citty, and told him I would swear the Alderman and Assistants that were returned, without dispute, if they would admitt of itt; which done, there would be a sufficient number of magistrates and officers to hold a common council for the Renewal of the Citty laws, for holding a Mayor's Court and General Court of Quarter Sessions of the peace, and for the effecting of such other things as would be for the publick benefitt and welfare of the Inhabitants of this Citty, and that I would also cause a scrutiny to be made of those elections which were disputed, in order that Justice might be done, and desired he would Joyne with me herein, and he would desire the Aldermen and Assistants to consent thereunto. Upon which he told me he would consider of itt, and give me his answer to-morrow.

"*October* 22*d*.—This morning, Mr. Gouverneur, the Recorder, came to my house, and told me he could not assist me in the making of a scrutiny without the consent of the Common Council, or that he would not, or that he could not, consent thereunto, without the Common Council.

"*October* 23*d*.—This day, I sent for the Recorder, who came to me, and I told him I would appoint persons to scrutiny the election of the South Ward—(to say) two men of one party and two of the other; and that they should make the scrutiny before me, and desired that he would be present and assist me therein. Who answered, No, he could not or be would not.

"This day, I sent for Mr. Nicholas Roosevelt, and told him I did design to have a scrutiny of the South Ward, and desired he would be there. Who answered, that there had been one scrutiny made and allowed by Common Council, and he could not consent to another, or to that purpose. I also demanded of him the Poll, which he said he kept for his own security. I promised he should have itt again upon which he told me the Committee that made the scrutiny had itt; that if the Common Council would order itt from him, he would deliver itt, and not otherwise. Upon which I told him I would proceed on the scrutiny, and would appoint Matthew Ling, Rip Van Dam, Gysbert Vanimbergh and Johannes Van Goesen, inhabitants of the said ward, before me to make the scrutiny. Who answered, they were good men—he had nothing to object against them, or to that purpose. Upon which I issued the following warrant (Johannes Van Goesen not being to be found):

"CITTY OF NEW YORKE, *ss.*—Thomas Noell, Mayor of the Citty of New Yorke, to Rip Van Dam, Matthew Ling, Gysbert Vaninbergh and Capt. Cornelius De Peyster, Inhabitants within the South Ward of the said Citty, and to every of them, Greeting: *Whereas*, Brandt Schuyler, of the Citty and ward aforesaid, merchant, hath appeared before me, and claims to be chosen Alderman of the said ward by the majority of voices of the Inhabitants of that ward, on the twenty-ninth day of September last, according to the usage of the said Citty for the year then ensuing, which choice is denyed by Nicholas Roosevelt, of the same ward. Boulter, who also makes claim to be chosen as above said. That there may be no defect of Justice in this behalfe, in his Majesty's name, I doe hereby Require you that the partyes above said, being summoned to be present if they think fitt, in their presence, or, in default thereof, in their absence, before me, att my house, within the said Citty, on Fryday next, being the twenty-fourth day of this instant month of October, att eight of the clock in the morning, you justly inspect and scrutiny the voices of the Inhabitants of the said ward; and that thereupon such of you as shall attend this service certify me, under your hands, if the said Nicholas Roosevelt or Brandt Schuyler be chosen Alderman by the majority of the voices of the Inhabitants aforesaid, according to the usage above said, and this shall be unto you a sufficient warrant for so doing. In witness whereof, I have hereunto putt my hand and Common Seale of the said Citty, the twenty-thirde day of October in the 13th year of his Majesty's reign, Anno Dom. 1701.

"This day, I issued another warrant to the persons above said, to scrutiny the voices of the Inhabitants of the same ward, if Hendrick Jelleson or Johannes Jansen be chosen Assistants of the said ward by the majority of the Inhabitants of the same. The former whereof was, as before, *mutatis mutandis*.

"This day, my marshal informed me that he served the above warrants upon Gysbert Vaninbergh, and read the same to him. Who answered, he would waite on the Mayor, but would not meddle with the scrutiny, or to that purpose; and that he also served the same warrants on Capt. Cornelius De Peyster, who read one of them twice over; and that he asked the said Cornelius De Peyster what answer he should return to the Mayor, and pressed him for an answer; who plainly told the said James Wright (my marshal), that he would have nothing to doe with itt. Of all which the said James Wright is ready to make oath.

"*October 24th.*—This morning, Gysbert Vaninbergh came to my house, to whom I told I had appointed him and others to scrutiny the Poll of Election of Alderman and Assistant and other officers of the said ward, made the 29th day of September last, or to that effect. Who answered, he desired to be excused—he would not scrutiny, or words to that effect. On which he went away.

"Capt. Cornelius De Peyster did not, this day, appear before me to make the scrutiny, pursuant to my warrants to him directed.

"This day, came before me, and Mr. Rip Vandam and Mr. Matthew Ling, who were then making the scrutiny of the election of the South Ward for Alderman, Assistant Alderman, &c., Jurien Whitfield, Johannes Meyer, Andries Ten Eyck and Harman Rutgers, being persons who, on the 29th day of September last, gave their votes for Nicholas Roosevelt, to be Alderman of the said ward, and Hendrick Jelleson, to be Assistant—and then before us voluntarily acknowledged they were not of the age of twenty-one years. And also, att the same time, Albertus Holst appeared before us, and acknowledged his place of residence was in the Dock Ward of this Citty, having removed thither eight days before the said day of election.

"*October 25th.*—This day Mr. Rip Vandam and Mr. Matthew Ling returned unto me my warrant, unto them and others directed, and indorsed in these words, following: (viz)

"In pursuance of the within warrant, wee, whose names are subscribed att the day and place within mentioned, have inspected and scrutiny'd the voices of the Inhabitants of the South Ward, of the Citty of New Yorke, and doe certify that the within named Brandt Schuyler is chosen Alderman by the majority of the voices of the Inhabitants aforesaid, as appears by a certain schedule of their names, hereunto annexed.

RIP VAN DAM.
MATTHEW LING.

A list of the names of all those who voted BrandtSchuyler Alderman for the year ensuing for the South Ward of the Citty of New Yorke, on the 29th day of September, Anno Domini, 1701.

"*Inhabitants who are freeholders or freemen*—Rip Van Dam, Stephen Delancey, Frederick Phillips, Andrew Stuckey, John Ellison, Luycas Kierstede, Jacobus Kierstede, Francis Vincent, Christopher Hoghlant, William Howard, Caleb Cooper, John Watson, John Pero, Dirck Hoghlant, Thomas Ives, Thomas Roberts, Michael Hawdon, Paul Richard, Andrew Teller, Hendrick Metslaer, Thomas Howarden, Johannes Jansen, Onzeel Van Sweeter, Giles Gandinean, Benjamin Aske, Robert Skelton, Anthony Farmer, Elias Peltreau, Augustus Jay, Frances Huling, Edward Antil, John Sheppard, William Galt, Matthew Ling, Isaac Fernando Dias, George Hulgrove, Richard Stokes, Joseph Harwood, John Palletran, John Le Chevalier, Henry Kemball—41.

Inhabitants who pay taxes—Walter Thong, Claude Bruneys, Thomas Davenport, John Magnan, Robert Parkinson—5.

Inhabitants taxable—William Simms, Samuel Wattson, John Finch, Oloff Van Cortlandt, William Peartree, William Smith, William Hill.—7.

Inhabitants neither free nor paying taxes—Robert Steuart, Archibald Morris, Thomas Rittoon, Hugh Gray, Claude Cherry—5.

Inhabitants under age by confession—Gabriel Broussard—1.

A list of all those who voted Nicholas Roosevelt Alderman for the year

ensuing, for the South Ward of the Citty of New Yorke, on the 25th day of September, 1701.

Inhabitants who are freeholders or freemen—Peter De Reimer, Gysbert Vaninburgh, Harman Rutgers, sr., Jacob Mauritz, Casper Stymetz, Cornelius Depeyster, Samuel Beekman, Hendrick Jelleson, Andries Meyer, Abraham Delaney, Isaac DePeyster, Warnaer Wessell, Jeremiah Westerhouse, Andries Bresteede, Peter Van Duersen, Jasper Nessepot, John Wonterse, Peter Meyer, Dirck Ten Eyck, Johannes Van Vorst, John Wanshaer, Peter Demilt, Isaac Brasier, Johonnas Van Gieson, Peter Le Grand, Thomas Weaver, Johannes Provoost, Jacob Blow, Samuel Shahane, Peter Symkam, Benjamin Wynkoop, Johannes Vanderhule, John Carmon, Abraham Van Duerse, Isaac Gouverneur, Barent Saunders, Abraham Utersall.

"*Inhabitants who pay taxes*—Victor Bicker, John Rycken—2.

"*Inhabitants neither free nor paying taxes*—Egbert Bresteede, Charles Beeckman—2.

"*Inhabitants under age by their own confession*—Union Whitfield, Johannes Meyer, Andries Ten Eyck, Harman Rutgers, jr—4.

"*Inhabitant of another ward by confession*—Albertus Holst—1.

"*Inhabitant freeholder voted for himself*—Nicholas Roosevelt—1.

"*October 25th.*—This day, Mr. Rip Van Dam and Mr. Matthew Ling returned unto me my warrant, unto them and others directed, and indorsed in these words, following: (viz.)

"In pursuance of the written warrant, wee, whose names are subscribed att the day and place within mentioned, have inspected and scrutinized the voices of the inhabitants of the South Ward of the Citty of New Yorke, and doe certify that the within-named Johannes Jansen is chosen assistant by the majority of voices of the inhabitants aforesaid, as appears by a certain schedule or list of their names hereunto annexed.

RIP VAN DAM.
MATTHEW LING.

"A list of the names of all those who voted Johannes Jansen, Assistant for the year ensuing, for the South Ward of the Citty of New Yorke, on the 29th day of September, 1701.

"*Inhabitants who are freeholders or freemen*—Same as for Alderman (Schuyler)—41.

"*Inhabitants who pay taxes*—Same as for Alderman (Schuyler)—5.

"*Inhabitants taxable*—Same as for Alderman—7.

"*Inhabitants neither free nor paying taxes*—Same as for Alderman (Schuyler)—5.

"*Inhabitant under age by confession*—Same as for Alderman (Schuyler)—1.

"A list of the names who voted Hendrick Jelleson for Assistant for the year ensuing, for the South Ward of the Citty of New Yorke, on the 29th day of September, 1701.

"*Inhabitants who are freeholders or freemen*—Same as for Alderman Roosevelt (with additions of N. Roosevelt) —38.

"*Inhabitants who pay taxes*—Same as for Alderman (Roosevelt)—2.

"*Inhabitants neither free nor paying taxes*—Same as for Alderman (Roosevelt)—2

"*Inhabitants under age by their confession*—Same as for Alderman (Roosevelt)—1.

"*Inhabitant of another ward by confession*—Same as for Alderman (Roosevelt)—1.

"*October 27th.*—This day I sent for Mr. David Provoost, and acquainted him that this day I designed to have a scrutiny made of the election of the West Ward; and in order thereunto, required of him the roll of the said election, who answered he would not give itt me. I told him I must then proceed without itt; who answered I might, but used many menacing expressions to me, telling me I had no power soe to doe; that it was already determined by the Common Council, and that there was no averring against a record; bidding me have a care what I did, that I should answer itt another time or be called to account for itt, or to that purpose, and several such like expressions. I desired hee would be present att the making the scrutiny, to see that justice was done; who answered no, he would not meddle with it, or to that effect. He demanded of me to call a Common Council this afternoon. I told him if the Aldermen and Assistants, whose returns are not controverted, would be sworne before me according to the usage of this Citty, I would call a Common Council, and would act with them in all such matters as might conduce to the public peace and benefitt of this Citty, or to that effect; and also, that I had often offered this before, to which he answered, they would not doe itt, or to that purpose, and again used menacing language to me, and afterwards went away.

"Afterwards, I issued two warrants, directed to Mr. John Barbarie, Direk Vanderburgh, Jacobus Gœlett and Isaac Sloover, this day, to make a scrutiny of the said election of the West Ward before me, and to certify to me who is elected Alderman and Assistant of the said West Ward, by majority of the voices of the inhabitants, of the same forme of the warrant directed to Rip Van Dam, Mr. Matthew Ling, &c., *mutatis mutandis*.

"This day I sent for Mr. Recorder, and desired he would be present att the making the scrutiny of the election of the West Ward; who answered he could not, that it was contrary to his oath or to that purpose, and he went away.

"This day, Jacobus Gœlett appeared before me, and told me he could not attend the service of the scrutiny; that he did not think fitt to meddle with that which is already decided, or to that purpose, and went away.

"*October 28th.*—This day, Isaac Sloover came to me at my house, and desired to be excused from making the scrutiny, saying itt was already done, and that he could not doe itt again, or to that purpose, on which he went away.

"*October 29th.*—This day, Mr. John Barbarie and Mr. Dirck Vanderburgh returned unto me one of my warrants, unto them and others directed, indorsed in these words, following: (viz.)

"In pursuance of the written warrant, wee, whose names are subscribed att the day and place within mentioned, have inspected and scrutinized the voices of the inhabitants of the West Ward of the Citty of New Yorke, and do certifie that the within named John Hutchins is chosen Alderman by the majority of the voices of the inhabitants aforesaid, as appears by a certaine schedule or list of their names hereunto annexed.

JOHN BARBARIE.
DIRCK VANDERBURGH.

"A list of the names of all those who voted John Hutchins Alderman, for the year ensuing, for the West Ward of the Citty of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1701.

"*Inhabitants who are freeholders or freemen*—Gabriel Minviele, (omitted in the Roll delivered by word of mouth, by Captain Provoost.) Balthazar Bayard, Dirck Vanderburgh, John Barbarie, Gabriel Le Boyteaux, Andrew Fougnett, William Robinson, Charles Denizean, Rene Rezeau, sr., Joseph Baker, Abraham Rezeau, William Mumford, John Russell, Bartholomew Le Roux, Rene Rezeau, jr., John Perry, Edmond Thomas, Edward Cole, Peter Rezeau, Thomas Twing, John Peak, John Harris, James Beard, William Moss, Edward Burling, Peter White, John French, James Simson, Robert Anderson, Robert Edwards, Peter King, Joseph Wright, Conrardus Vanderbeck, John Hutchins, Robert Darkins, John Doblett, (omitted in the copy of the Roll,) Augustus Grassett, Jarvis Marshal, Nicholas Ten Broeck, George Williams, Peter Daniels—41.

Inhabitants who pay taxes.—Patrick Cane, John Rix, (omitted in the copy of the Roll,) Francis Boquet, Thomas Coburn, John Haine, Alexander Morrissett, Andrew John, Andrew Colon, John Reynolds, Jeremiah Calcutt—10.

Inhabitants who are taxable—Latanier, Henry Money, George Smith, Michael Belin, Peter Sernave, Daniel Galliard, James Robertson, Gerrit Areson, John Bowing, Edward Merritts, William Pemberton, Thomas Jones, Matthew Pooley, John Lucas, William Richardson, John David, John Wood, Servaes Morrissett, Daniel Curtis, Peter Serit—20.

Inhabitants of another Ward—William Galte Leconte, John Contan, Thomas Oneby—4.

No votes—Peter Roberts, James White—2.

Unknown—Daniel Shutt—1.

A list of the names of all those who voted David Provoost Alderman for the year ensuing, for the West Ward of the Citty of New Yorke, on the 29th September, 1701.

Inhabitants who are freeholders or freemen—Paulus Turke, John Meade, Albert L. Degrave, Francis Vandercoote, Hermanus Van Gelder, Nicholas

Blanck, Pieter Jansen Mescel, John Doaw. Isaac Slover, Enoch Hill, Walter Heyer. Barent Bose, William Hyer, Gerrit Cousine, Cornelius Clopper, Jacob Van Giesen, Henry Blanck, William Pearse, Peter Symkam, Gerrit Kettletas, Jacob Gallet, Peter Low, Leonard De Graw, Peter Willemse Roome, Evert Van Hooke, John Willemse Roome, Francis Couwenhoven, Johannes Van Gelder, Paulus Turke, Jacob Hussing, Stephen Buckenhoven—31.

Inhabitants who pay taxes—Johannes Peters, Olfert Webbers, Matthew Van Vels, Cosine Gerrits—4.

Inhabitants who pay no taxes—Arien Apple, Andries Douw, Arent Isaacs—3.

Lives in another ward—Hermanus Benson—1.

Unknown—Jochem Beekman—1.

On the same day, the sam epersons (Messrs. Barbarie and Vanderburgh) returned the scrutiny of the votes for Assistant of said West Ward, whereby it appears that Robert White is chosen as follows:

A list of the inhabitants who voted for Robert White, as Assistant for the year ensuing, for the West Ward of the Citty of New Yorke, on the 29th day of September, 1701.

Inhabitants who are freeholders or freemen—(Same as for John Hutchins, for Alderman)—41.

Inhabitants who pay taxes—(Same as for John Hutchins for Alderman) —10.

Inhabitants who are taxable—(Same as for John Hutchins, for Alderman) —20.

Inhabitants of another ward—(Same as for John Hutchins, for Alderman) —4.

No votes—(Same as for John Hutchins)—2.

Unknown—(Same as for John Hutchins)—1.

A list of the names of all those who voted Peter Willemse Roome Assistant, for the year ensuing, for the West Ward of the Citty of New Yorke, on the 29th day of September, 1701.

Inhabitants who are freeholders or freemen—(Same as for David Provoost for Alderman)—31.

Inhabitants who pay taxes.—(Same as for David Provoost, for Alderman) —4.

Inhabitants taxable—Johannes Low, Nicholas Daillie, Cornelius Turke —3.

Inhabitants who pay no taxes—(Same as for David Provoost, for Alderman)—3.

Lives in another ward—Hermanns Benson—1.

Unknown—Jochem Beekman—1.

October 29th.—This day I sent for Captain Johannes De Peyster, and told him I designed to have a scrutiny made of the election of the East Ward, to-morrow morning, and demanded of him the Roll thereof, who

asked me if I had an order of the Common Council to demand it. I answered no. Whereupon, he told me he had itt, but was not obliged to deliver it but by order of Common Council, by whom the former scrutiny had been approved, or to that effect; and that he did not think I had sufficient authority to meddle with it, or to that purpose. On which I desired that he would be present att the making the scrutiny; who answered no. I desired he would appoint two men on his party to make the scrutiny; who answered no, it was already done, or to that purpose—on which he went away. Memorandum—Before he went away he told me Mr. Bayard had taken a copy of the poll.

This day I issued two warrants, directed to Mr. Lawrence Reade, Benjamin Faneuil, Barent Rynders and Johannes Hardenbrooke, to make a scrutiny to-morrow morning, at eight o'clock, before me att my house, of the election of the East Ward of the said Citty, and to certifie to me who is elected Alderman and Assistant for the said Ward, for the year ensuing, by the majority of the voices of the inhabitants of the same, in the like forme of those to Mr. Rip Van Dam and Matthew Ling, &c. *mutatis mutandis*.

This day, Mr. Abraham Brasier came to me, and told me he was summoned to attend the scrutiny of the East Ward, but desired to be excused; that the scrutiny had been already made, and that he would not meddle with it, or words to that effect, upon which he went away.

"October 30.—This day I sent for Mr. Recorder and acquainted him I designed this day to have a scrutiny before me of the poll of the election of the East Ward, and desired he would be present and assist therein, or see the said scrutiny made or to that purpose, to which he answered he could not or would not, that it was contrary to his oath, or to that purpose, on which he went away.

"This day Barent Rynders came to me and told me he was summoned to scrutiny the East Ward, but desired to be excused saying it was once done already, and that he would not meddle with it, or to that purpose, on which he went away.

"This day Johannes Hardenbrooke came before me on my summons, to whom I told I had appointed him by my warrant to be one of the persons to make a scrutiny of the East Ward, who answered he desired to be excused, he understood there had been a scrutiny made already, for which reason and several others, he did not think fit to meddle with it, or words to that effect, upon which he went away.

"November 1st.—This day Mr. Lawrence Reade and Mr. Benjamin Faneuil returned one of my warrants unto them and others directed, indorsed in these words following, viz:

"In pursuance of the within warrant, we whose names are subscribed, at the day and place within mentioned, have inspected and scrutinized the voices of the inhabitants of the East Ward of the City of New York, and do certify that the within named William Morris is chosen Alderman by

the majority of the voices of the inhabitants aforesaid, as appears by a certain schedule or list of their names hereunto annexed.

LAW. READE,
BENJAMIN FANEUIL.

"A list of the names of all those who voted William Morris, Alderman for the year ensuing, for the East Ward of the City of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1701.

"*Inhabitants who are freeholders or freemen*—Daniel Crommelin, Sam'l Burt, John Tuder, Philip Wilkinson, Abraham Jenneau, James Harding, John Bachan, Benjamin Faneuil, Benjamin D'Harrette, Joshua David, sr, Joshua David, jr, Peter Thourelt, John Membrut, Andrew Lawran, Matthew Clarkson, Elis Rambart, Thomas Hooke, Richard Sackett, Samuel Mynders, George Stanton, Peter Morin, Ebenezer Wilson, Thomas Adams, Tunis De Key, Thomas Child, William Anderson, Jeremiah Tuthill, Daniel Butts, John David, Sr., John David, jr., Henry Francis, George Norton, Moses Gilbert, Daniel Maynard, Johannes Van Santa, Daniel Jardine, Peter Bassett, John Stephens, Barthol'w Fuert, Jacob Bratt, Lawrence Reade, Burger Mynders, William Huddleston, William Seaths, Lawrence Cornefleau, Stephen Valleau, Stephen Jamain, Roger Baker, Peter Newkirke, Ezekiel Grazilear, Peter Ryckman, Thos. Carroll, Benjamin Blagrove, Daniel Latham, Charles Sleigh, Daniel Poultreau, Michael Bassett, John Osborne, John Nichols—59.

"*Persons qualified as above, who voted in the East Ward, but properly belong to the North Ward*—John Hutton, Edward Cox, John Davenport, John Brawdy—4.

"*Inhabitants that pay tax*—Trebulon Carter, Daniel Targee, Elias Vean, John Cholwell, Arnan Bonnin, Jacob Rattier, Lewis Ricard, Dennis Richard, John Penfield, Richard Cooper, Daniel Foy, William Barker—12.

"*Person qualified as above, who voted in the East Ward, but properly belong to the North Ward*—Benjamin Israel—1

"*Inhabitants taxable*—Augustus Lucas, Philip Jonneau, Andrew Aureau, John Moore, John Peddrick, Henry Hews, John Lafon, Robert L. Hooper, John Le Roux, James Desbrosses, William Glencross, Peter Mentels, Ebenezer King, Jarvis Kendar, Isaac V. Sorcelile, Daniel Fume, Peter Forchen, James Targec—18.

"*Inhabitants that pay no taxes*—Peter Bertenneau, Joseph Clayton, John Massiott, Samuel Archamband—4.

"*Voted under age*—Alexander Campbell—1.

"*Voted who live in another ward*—William White—1.

"A list of the names who voted Captain Johannes Depeyster, Alderman for the year ensuing, for the East Ward of the City of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1701.

"*Inhabitants who are freemen or freeholders*—Isaac De Roemer, Cornelius Joosten, Gabriel Thompson, William Dowler, Jacobus Vanderspeigle,

Cornelius Bulfinch, Clem Elsworth, Aron Blom, William Hellaken, Jacob Leisler, Joost Corelse, Johannes Elsworth, Andrew Abramse, Thomas Evans, Evert Pels, Abram Abramse, Timothy Van Bursum, Suert Olferts, Barent Rynders, Adrian Hoaglant, Albert Vandewater, Daniel DeVoor, Claes Gysbertse Bogert, Lawrence Thomase, George Elsworth, Carsten Luersen, William Beekman, Samuel Staats, John Jooster, Isaac De Milt, John Langstreet, Carsten Luersen, jr., William Elsworth, Jacobus De Warhaem, John Martier, Gerret Hyer, William Nazarett, Samson Benson, Zachariah Sickels, Thomas Roberts, Otto Van Tyle, Francis Wessells, Peter Vantelborough, Peter Rose, Robert Walters, Johannes Vanderspeigle, Jacob Vantelborough, Olfert Suerts, Leendert Huygen, Johannes Hardenbrook, Dirck Benson, John Woodard, John Harris, William Vandewater, Harman Myer, Abraham Moll, Jacobus Collier, Johannes Poulse, Abraham Brazier, Captain Johannes Depeyster —60.

"*Persons qualified as above, who voted in the East Ward, but properly belong to the North Ward*—Servaes Vlierbloom, Dirck Wytenbogert, Harman Degrow, Abraham Van Arnham, James Lee, Jacob Vanduerse, Mangle Jansen Roll, Hubert Vandenbergh, Peter Bant, Justus Bush, John Bant, Jr., Claes Bogaert. Bartholomew Funk—13

"*Inhabitants who pay tax*—Michael Stevens, Albert DeVries—2.

"*Inhabitants taxable*—Jacob Hellaker, Johannes Provoost, Caspar Taber, Cornelius Dirckson, Isaac Bradt, William Beekman, Jr., John Schutt—7.

"*Persons qualified as above, who voted in the East Ward, but properly belong to the North Ward*—Hendrick Oestrum, Jacob Stella—2.

"*Inhabitants taxable*—Abraham Kermer, John Hendrickse, Matthew Benson—3.

"*Inhabitant taxable who voted in the East Ward, but properly belong to the North Ward*—John Manglese—1.

"*Persons that voted who live in another Ward*—Johannes Byvanke, Jonathan Provoost, John Brewer—3.

"*Persons who voted who were apprentices and under age*—Johannes Beekman, (by confession), Barent Martles, (ditto), John Van Clyffe, (by record), Stephen Elsworth, Jr., (ditto)—4.

"*Person inserted in the list who did not vote, and is under age*—John Dallie—1.

"The same inspectors returned as the result of their scrutiny that, Jeremiah Tathill was chosen assistant of the East Ward by the same vote, over Abraham Brasier.

"November 10—This day I writt to Abraham Gouverneur, Esquire, Recorder of the City of New York, in these words following:—

"Mr. Abraham Gouverneur,

"There being sundry urgent and necessary affairs of this Citty which very much suffer for want of a settled magistracy, these are to give you

notice that on Tuesday morning, the eleventh of November instant, I purpose to swear the new magistracy for this ensuing year, which service I desire you will not fail to be assistant in.

"I am, sir, your friend and servant,

THOMAS NOELL.

"Mr. Wright, my marshal, did return from the Recorder and reported that he had delivered my letter to him, who bid him go back to the Mayor and tell the Mayor he would give him an answer in writing this afternoon.

"This day I received a letter from Mr. Abraham Gouverneur, Esquire, Recorder of the Citty of New York, in these words following :—

"NEW YORK, November 10, 1701.

"Mr. Mayor,

"Having this morning received your letter dated this day, whereby you give me notice that on Tuesday next you purpose to swear the new magistracy for the year ensuing, and you desire me not to fail to be present at it. In answer, I am to tell you that I do not know that any magistrates belonging to this Citty are to be sworn, unless the Treasurer be accounted one of them ; yet I am not ignorant of some disputes concerning the same, the which I hope the next Supreme Court, which will be held on the 25th instant, will end, and I having the Governor's leave to go to Nassau Island to-morrow, I cannot agree to such matters as you desire, until a determination at law, and so I suppose you will not proceed before that time.

"I am your friend and servant,

ABRAHAM GOUVERNEUR, Recorder.

"To the Rt. Worshipful Thos. Noell, Esq.,
Mayor of the City of New York

November 11th.—This day I went from my house to the Citty Hall attended by Philip French, Alderman of the Dock Ward; Brandt Schuyler, Alderman of the South Ward; John Hutchins, Alderman of the West Ward; William Morris, Alderman of the East Ward; Johannes Jansen, Assistant of the South Ward; Robert White, Assistant of the West Ward; and Jeremiah Tathill, Assistant of the East Ward, (who by the scrutiny's of the poll of the elections of the said Wards, before me made, I find to be legally chosen unto the said offices) and the Sheriff, towne clerke, and other offices, when I came near to the Citty Hall, Mr. Johannes De Peyster, Mr. David Provoost, Mr. Nicholas Roosevelt and Martin Clock, Esquire, Elected Alderman of the Out Ward, joined me, and went up with me into the Citty Hall, and I having taken the Chair, the said Johannes De Peyster, David Provoost, Nicholas Roosevelt and Martin Clock placed themselves on the Bench of the Magistracy by me to whom I told they had no right to sit there, the said Johannes De Peyster, David Provoost and Nicholas Roosevelt, not being legally elected Alderman, neither the said Martin

Clock, till such time as he was sworne before me, as has been the usage of this citty in such cases. They answered they were legally elected and sworne by the old Mayor and had right to sitt there as magistrates, or words to that effect. I told them I should not offer any violence to remove them, however. I was come thither to swear Brandt Schuyler, Alderman of the South Ward, and Johannes Jansen, Assistant of the same; John Hutchins, Alderman of the West Ward, and Robert White, Assistant of the same, and William Morris Alderman of the East Ward, and Jeremiah Tathill, Assistant of the same, who I found were the persons legally elected unto the said offices by the majority of voices, and accordingly ordered William Sharpas the towne clerke before me to administer to them the oath according to the usage of the said citty. Upon which the said Johannes De Peyster, David Provoost, Nicholas Roosevelt, and Martin Clock, in very violent and passionate expressions, said they protested against my arbitrary and illegal proceedings, and made a great noise and clamor. Notwithstanding I ordered the town clerke to proceed, and accordingly the oaths appointed by act of parliament instead of the oaths of allegiance and supremacy, were administered to the said Brandt Schuyler, John Hutchins, William Morris, Johannes Jansen, Robert White and Jeremiah Tathill, and they accordingly took their places, the said Johannes De Peyster, David Provoost, Nicholas Roosevelt and Martin Clock still sitting on the bench."

This ends the Mayor's Journal. The result of the dispute was, that the Supreme Court decided that Brandt Schuyler, John Hutchins and Johannes De Peyster, were entitled to the disputed seats. A decision which left the Board of Common Council equally divided, viz: *Leislerians*—The Recorder, Aldermen De Peyster, Boelen and Clock. *Anti-Leislerians*—The Mayor, Aldermen Schuyler, Hutchins and French. (The Assistants were divided in the same manner.)

VIEW OF OLD BUILDINGS ON WATER STREET, BETWEEN PINE AND DEPEYSTER STREETS.

The buildings, a view of which is presented on the opposite page, are the oldest now standing in that portion of the city, and are among the remaining few of "tiled roofed" edifices now remaining in New York. They were erected some years anterior to the Revolutionary war, and were then situated upon the water side, the streets between them and the river having been since that period filled in and built upon. The building on the corner of Depeyster and Water streets, was originally the mansion of Mr. Depeyster, a prominent merchant and large property-holder in that vicinity; and during the Revolutionary war it was occupied as a hotel, being a favorite residence of officers of the British army. The building on the corner of Pine street was at one period occupied by Mr. Comfort Sands, who, about the commencement of the present century, was one of the principal merchants of the city. The whole is now occupied as the sales department of the extensive establishment of Silas C. Herring, manufacturer of iron safes.

STATEMENT

SHOWING THE DATE, FEES, EXPENSES, &c., FOR THE OPENING OF STREETS IN THE CITY, FROM THE YEAR 1830 TO 1856.

1830.

October 11.—Lombardy street widened, from Catharine to Jefferson, at a total cost of $68,563 96.

May.—Ninth avenue opened, from Twenty-eighth to Thirty-fourth street, at a total cost of $3,673 62.

May 17.—Seventeenth street opened, from Third to Sixth avenue, at a total cost of $7,287.

July 12.—Pine street widened, corner of William street, at a total cost of $3,256 75.

November 15.—Sixteenth street opened, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river, at a total cost of $3,127 90.

1831.

May 9.—Pine street widened, between Nassau and Pearl streets, at a total cost of $22,701.

April 25.—Sixteenth street opened, from Third to Sixth avenue, at a total cost of $8,155 22.

April 25.—South street widened, between Clinton and Montgomery streets, and extending from Montgomery to Corlears street, at a total cost of $6,155.

April 25.—Thirty-sixth street opened, from Eighth avenue to Fitzroy road, at a total cost of $633.

April 18.—William street widened, between Exchange place and South street, at a total cost of $38,919.

July 26.—Amity lane opened, from Broadway to Sullivan street, at a total cost of $1,863 45.

December 19.—Forty-second street opened, from Third avenue to Bloomingdale road, at a total cost of $1,484 81.

November 24.—Fifth street widened, from Broadway to Wooster stree at a total cost of $22,346 78.

December 19.—Low's lane closed, from Old post road to Sixth avenue at a total cost of $1,322 83.

October 6.—Nineteenth street opened, from Sixth avenue to Bloomingdale road, at a total cost of $3,186 04.

October 6.—Twentieth street opened, from Sixth avenue to Bloomingdale road, at a total cost of $1,067 82.

November 24.—Twenty-third street opened, from Third avenue to East river, at a total cost of $1,889 76.

1832.

March 26.—Ann street widened, between Nassau and William streets, at a total cost of $22,697.

March 22.—Cedar street widened, between William street and Broadway, at a total cost of $65,122 97.

January 3.—Cross, Anthony and Little Water streets widened, at a total cost of $26,895.

August 15.—Exchange place widened, at William street, at a total cost of $10,220 22.

October 26.—Fitzroy road closed, from Twenty-third to Forty-second street, at a total cost of $9,239 64.

April 11.—Hanover street widened, at Exchange place, at a total cost of $14,327 35.

August 15.—Morton street widened, at a total cost of $1,408 09.

June 4.—Sixteenth street opened, from Sixth to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $8,597 97.

April 27.—Spruce street widened, between Nassau and Gold streets, at a total cost of $52,912 48.

May 5.—Twenty-second street opened, from First to Fourth avenue, at a total cost of $842 79.

February 1.—Union place opened, at a total cost of $116,051.

May 10.—William street widened, from Wall to Pine street, (east side,) at a total cost of $45,799 53.

1833.

March 7.—Eighty-fourth street opened, from Third to First avenue; and First avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-sixth street, at a total cost of $1,962 56.

March 7.—Fourth avenue opened, from Seventeenth to Twenty-eighth street, at a total cost of $1,223 45.

February 2.—Hurlgate road closed, from Second avenue to Avenue A, at a total cost of $1,920 31.

March 13.—Barrow street extended, from Asylum street to the Sixth avenue, at a total cost of $16,084 31.

December 31.—Chapel street widened, from Franklin to Murray street, at a total cost of $210,810 40.

March 20.—Eighth street opened, from Avenue B to East river, at a total cost of $521 37.

April 4.—Eighteenth street opened, from Bloomingdale road to Second avenue, at a total cost of $9,158 44.

March 13.—Gay street opened, from Sixth street to Christopher street, at a total cost of $1,414 62.

July 4.—Hanover square improved, at a total cost of $4,338 30.

March 7.—Irving place opened, from Fourteenth to Twentieth street, at a total cost of $19,240 88.

March 13.—Liberty street widened, from Broadway to Greenwich street, at a total cost of $6,314 34.

April 4.—Nineteenth street opened, from Third avenue to the Bloomingdale road, at a total cost of $487 09.

May 1.—Tompkins square opened, at a total cost of $93,358 75.

April 4.—Twenty-fourth street opened, from Third avenue to Old post-road, at a total cost of $351 43.

March 13.—Twenty-fifth street opened, from the Post road to Second avenue, at a total cost of $448 88.

April 4.—Twenty-sixth street opened, from Bloomingdale road to Second avenue, at a total cost of $2,005 22.

March 13.—Twenty-seventh street opened, from Old post road to the Second avenue, at a total cost of $411 12.

April 27.—Wooster street widened, and extended to Fourteenth street, at a total cost of $67,823 05.

1834.

February 11.—Beaver street widened, from William to Broad, at a total cost of $56,439 67.

April 8.—Fulton street widened, from Broadway to Ryder's alley, at a total cost of $192,477.

February 25.—Gold street widened, from Frankfort to Fulton street, at a total cost of $50,963 62.

April 15.—Horatio street opened, from Greenwich street to Hudson river, at a total cost of $2,214 96.

June 28.—Pine street widened, from Broadway to Nassau street, at a total cost of $52,676 41.

February 11.—Platt street extended, from Gold to William street, at a total cost of $54,415 12.

November 28.—Twenty-fourth street opened, from First to Third avenue, at a total cost of $1,051 71.

January 14.—Twenty-eighth street opened, from Third to Fourth avenue, at a total cost of $288 10.

1835.

April 23.—Avenue C widened, from Third to Thirteenth street, at a total cost of $4,921 75.

April 23.—Centre street widened and extended, from Grand to Chatham street, at a total cost of $271,403 09.

February 25.—Chatham street widened, from Pearl to Mott street, at a total cost of $56,002 37.

May 6.—Eleventh street opened, from Second avenue to Dry Dock street, at a total cost of $3,793 97.

November 6.—Eighty-fourth street opened, from First avenue to Avenue B, at a total cost of $619.

January 2.—Eighty-seventh street opened, from Third to Fourth avenue, at a total cost of $550 60.

February 25.—Liberty street widened, from Nassau to William street, at a total cost of $44,122 19.

March 11.—Mill street widened and opened, at a total cost of $74,744 79.

July 17.—New street widened, from Wall to Beaver street, at a total cost of $31,791 62.

July 29.—Ninth avenue opened, from Bloomingdale road to Forty-fifth street, at a total cost of $25,991 25.

July 22.—One hundred and sixteenth street opened, from Fourth avenue to Harlem river, at a total cost of $5,171 45.

March 18.—One hundred and twenty-first street opened, from Third to Fourth avenue, at a total cost of $2,271 60.

August 6.—Second avenue opened, from One hundred and ninth to One hundred and twenty-third street, at a total cost of $4,319 37.

September 4.—Second avenue opened, from Twenty-eighth to Eighty-sixth street, at a total cost of $293 50.

December 4.—Seventh avenue opened, from Twenty-first street to One hundred and twenty-ninth street, at a total cost of $41,692 18.

July 17.—Sheriff street extended, from Houston street to Second street, at a total cost of $8,962.

July 17.—Sixth avenue opened, from Bloomingdale road to One hundred and twenty-ninth street, at a total cost of $59,519 77.

September 18.—Seventy-ninth street opened, from Ninth avenue to the Hudson river, at a total cost of $831 81.

January 2.—Twenty-seventh street opened, from Ninth avenue to the Hudson river, at a total cost of $300 30.

April 23.—Thirty-eighth street opened, from Second to Third avenue, at a total cost of $1,562 27

June 16.—Wall street widened, from Pearl to Merchant street, at a total cost of $96,131 62.

April 15.—William street widened, between Wall street and Maiden lane, at a total cost of $87,031.

1836.

May 10.—Avenue A opened, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-sixth street, at a total cost of $946 08.

August 4.--Avenue B opened, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-third street, at a total cost of $1,239 19.

September 10.--Avenue B opened, from Eighty-third to Eighty-sixth street, at a total cost of $1,239 09.

October 7.--First avenue opened, from One hundred and ninth to One hundred and twenty-fifth street, at a total cost of $10,640.

December 10.--First avenue opened, from Eighty-third to Eighty-fourth street, at a total cost of $———.

February 16.--First avenue opened, from Twenty-eighth to Forty-second street, at a total cost of $3,383 42.

April 15.--Second avenue opened, from Eighty-sixth to One hundred and ninth street, at a total cost of $3,221 41.

March 17.--Fifth avenue opened, from Twenty-first to Forty-second street, at a total cost of $47,267.

March 4.--Fifth avenue opened, from Forty-second to One hundred and twenty-ninth street, at a total cost of $2,522.

May 10.--Tenth avenue opened, from Seventy-first street to Kingsbridge road, at a total cost of $29,457 82.

September 12.--Eleventh avenue opened, from Twenty-eighth to Forty-seventh street, at a total cost of $2,355 50.

February 16--Lexington avenue opened, from Thirty-first to Forty-second street, at a total cost of $———.

February 16.—Madison avenue opened, from Twenty-third to Forty-second street, at a total cost of $11,020.

January 30.--Burned district improved, streets of,&c., at a total cost of $391,728.

September 12.--Cherry street widened, from Catharine to Franklin square, at a total cost of $6,237 22. (Discontinued.)

February 19.--Eleventh street opening, from Broadway to Bowery. (Discontinued.)

April 27.—Eighty-sixth street opened, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river, at a total cost of $16,927 95.

May 10.--Eighty-third street opened, from Third avenue to Avenue A, at a total cost of $745 56.

August 4.--Eighty-fourth street opened, from First avenue to Avenue B, at a total cost of $619.

November 17.--Eighty-ninth street opened, from Third to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $2,226 66.

January 25.--Grove street widened, and public place made, at a total cost of $57,015 59.

February 16.—Fortieth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $7,333 90; Forty-first street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $2,533 07.

February 16.—Forty-second street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $6,751.

February 16.—John street widened, from Broadway to Pearl street, at a total cost of $191,097 92.

October 7.—Fiftieth street opened, from Third to Fifth avenue, at a total cost of $450.

September 16.—Lawrence and other streets opened, in the Twelfth Ward, at a total cost of $2,198 10

May 4 —Manhattan square opened, at a total cost of $54,549 52.

April 1.—Maiden Lane widened, corner of Nassau street, at a total cost of $8,728 12.

March 4.—Market ground opened (Centre market), at a total cost of $32,127.

January 22.—Mount Morris square opened, at a total cost of $25,743

March 4.—One hundred and seventeenth street opened, from Fourth avenue to Harlem river, at a total cost of $1,103 70.

March 23.—One hundred and twenty-fifth street opened, from Third avenue to Harlem river, at a total cost of $5,825 57

April 15.—One hundred and twenty eighth street opened, from Third to Fifth avenue, at a total cost of $510 31.

November 17.—Ninetieth street opened, from Third to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $2,191.

April 15.—One hundred and twenty-third street opened, from Third avenue to Harlem river, at a total cost of $3,700.

April 27.—One hundred and nineteenth street opened, from Fourth avenue to Harlem river, at a total cost of $4,507 99.

April 27.—One hundred and twenty-fourth street opened, from Old Church road to Harlem river, at a total cost of $696 05.

May 4 —One hundred and thirtieth street opened, from Third to Fifth avenue, at a total cost of $676 94.

August 3 —One hundred and twenty-second street opened, from Third avenue to Harlem river, at a total cost of $3,096 62.

August 3.—One hundred and fifty-fifth street opened, from Harlem river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $1,170

October 20 —One hundred and eighteenth street opened, from Third avenue to Harlem river, at a total cost of $1,236 39.

November 2 —One hundred and sixteenth street opened, from Fourth to Tenth avenue, at a total cost of $4,233 63.

December 10.—Pine street widened, between Nassau and William streets, at a total cost of $22,056.

July 26.—Public place, between Art and Eighth streets and Lafayette place opened, at a total cost of $3,479 21.

April 27 —Stone street widened, from William to Broad street, at a total cost of $17,460 57.

February 19.—Twelfth street opened, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river, at a total cost of $2,397 46.

February 19.—Twelfth street opened, from Avenue C to East river, at a total cost of $176 02,

February 19.—Twenty-second street opened, from Fourth to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $5,454 31.

February 19.—Twenty-third street opened, from Third to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $12 844 98.

February 19.—Twenty-fourth street opened, from Fifth to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $2,[illegible]21.

February 19.—Twenty-fifth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $6,995 40.

February 19.—Twenty-sixth street opened, from bulkhead to Hudson river, at a total cost of $11,579.

February 19.—Twenty-seventh street opened, from Fourth to Ninth avenue, at a total cost of $18,312 30.

February 19.—Twenty-eighth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $12,745 76.

February 19.—Twenty-ninth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $7,032 31.

February 19.—Thirtieth street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $10,222 18.

February 19.—Thirty-first street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $8,626 93.

February 19.—Thirty-second street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $16,463 90.

February 19.—Thirty-third street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $15,008 16.

February 19.—Thirty-fourth street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $15,374 42.

February 19.—Thirty-fifth street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $14,215.

February 19.—Thirty-sixth street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $7,268 90.

February 19.—Thirty-seventh street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $7,906 73.

February 19.—Thirty-eighth street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $9,817.

February 19.—Thirty-ninth street opened, between East river and Hudson river, at a total cost of $5,244 86.

May 4.—William street widened, from Maiden Lane to Chatham street. (Discontinued.)

1837.

April 19.—Anthony street widened. (Discontinued.)

January 17.—Avenue A opened, from One hundred and ninth street to Harlem river, at a total cost of $———.

April 29.—Eleventh avenue opened, from One hundred and twenty-third street to One hundred and thirty-first street. (Discontinued.)

April 29.—Twelfth avenue opened, from Manhattan street to One hundred and twenty-second street. (Discontinued.)

March 16.—Eighty-fourth street opened, from Third to Fifth avenue, at a total cost of $675 10.

March 23.—Eighty-fifth street opened, from Third to Fifth avenue, at a total cost of $739 47.

April 19.—Eighty-seventh street opened, from Fourth to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $1,012 19.

April 19.—Eighty-third street opened, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue, at a total cost of $856 35.

May 13.—Eighty-eighth street opened, from Third to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $1,858 79.

March 16.—Forty-third street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $4,024 25.

March 16.—Forty-fourth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $3,103 23.

March 16.—Forty-fifth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $3,045.

March 16.—Forty-sixth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $7,342 30.

March 16.—Forty-seventh street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $4,581 81.

March 16.—Forty-eighth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $9,189 16

March 16.—Forty-ninth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $9,425 24.

March 16.—Fiftieth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $12,050.

March 16.—Fifty-first street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $9,154.

March 16.—Fifty-second street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $4,043 41.

March 16.—Fifty-third street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $4,170 03.

March 16.—Fifty-fourth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $6,485 81.

March 16.—Fifty-fifth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $7,053 50.

March 16.—Fifty-sixth street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $4,195 67.

March 16.—Fifty-seventh street opened, from East river to Hudson river, at a total cost of $11,310 40.

July 7.—Fifty-ninth street opened, from Tenth avenue to Hudson river, at a total cost of $539.

April 19.—Ninety-fourth street opened, from Third avenue to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $1,535.

February 17.—One hundred and twentieth street opened, from Fourth avenue to Harlem river, at a total cost of $2,177 75.

April 5.—One hundred and twenty-fifth street opened, from Manhattan street to Bloomingdale road.

April 20.—One hundred and ninth street opened, from Sixth avenue to Old Harlem road, at a total cost of $345.

April 20.—One hundred and tenth street opened, from Old Harlem road to Bloomingdale road, at a total cost of $1,058 19.

April 29.—One hundred and twenty-third street opening, from Eleventh avenue to Bloomingdale road. (Discontinued.)

April 29.—One hundred and thirty-first street opening, from Bloomingdale road to Hudson river. (Discontinued.)

April 19.—Orange street extended, from Grand to Broome street, at a total cost of $59,458 79.

1838.

May 7.—Art street widened, from Bowery to Broadway, at a total cost of $38,794 75.

1839.

January 7.—Old Post road closed, south of Thirty-first street, at a total cost of $994 19.

June 6.—Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Twenty-first streets opened, from First avenue to East river, at a total cost of $535.

1844.

May 13.—Houston street widened, from Lewis street to East river, at a total cost of $6,040 61.

1845.

January 28.—Bloomingdale road widened, from Twenty-fifth to Forty-fifth street, at a total cost of $19,475 31.

April 14.—Leroy street extended, from Houston to Bleecker street, at a total cost of $5,257 24.

May 7.—Madison square opened, at a total cost of $75,306.

1846.

January 12.—William street widened, from Maiden Lane to Chatham street, at a total cost of $6,632 55.

July 20.—Stone street widened, from Whitehall to Broad street, at a total cost of $2,869 58.

May 4.—Leroy street opened, from Hudson to Benton street, at a total cost of $19,240 24.

October 9.—Bloomingdale road re-opened, from Twenty-fifth to Fortieth street, at a total cost of $19,475 51.

1847.

May 20.—William street widened, at a total cost of $12,112 10.

May 3.—Madison square opened, at a total cost of $75,338 31.

May 22.—Stone street widened, at a total cost of $17,005 58.

1848.

October 3.—Broadway widened, from Twenty-first to Twenty-fifth street, at a total cost of $11,573 13.

Dry Dock street opening discontinued.

January 17.—Fourth avenue opened, from Twenty-eighth to Thirty-eighth street, at a total cost of $23,587 69.

April 21.—Lexington avenue opened, from Thirty-first to Forty-second street, at a total cost of $20,540 08.

November 6.—Dry Dock street opened, from Tenth to Twelfth street, at a total cost of $2,779 30.

1849.

Avenue A, opening of, from One hundred and ninth street to Harlem river (commenced and discontinued), at a total cost of $4,727 43.

March 31.—Broadway opened, from Seventh to Tenth avenue, at a total cost of $58,580 87.

Eleventh street opening, from Broadway to Bowery (commenced and discontinued), at a cost of $3,640 93.

July 7.—Eightieth street opened, from Second to Third avenue, at a total cost of $2,406 54.

One hundred and twenty-fifth street opened, from Manhattan street to Bloomingdale road (discontinued), at a cost of $2,650 59.

November 5.—Tenth avenue opened, from One hundred and seventy-fourth to One hundred and ninety-fourth street, at a total cost of $6,538 38.

Canal and Walker streets extended, appealed to Supreme Court, and again ordered to be extended in 1854, September 11, at a total cost of $582,685 87.

1850.

Fifth avenue opened, between One hundred and thirty-second street and Harlem river (commenced and discontinued), at a total cost of $1,372 39.

Sixth avenue opened, between One hundred and twenty-ninth street and Harlem river (commenced and discontinued), at a total cost of $1,185 33.

Seventh avenue opened, between One hundred and thirty-third and One hundred and fifty-fifth streets (commenced and discontinued), at a total cost of $1,384 35.

Eleventh avenue opened, between One hundred and seventh and One hundred and twenty-seventh streets (commenced and discontinued), at a total cost of $4,851 38.

1851.

Second avenue opened, between One hundred and twenty-third and One hundred and twenty-seventh streets (commenced and discontinued), at a total cost of $1,727 36.

January 3.—Lexington avenue opened, between Forty-second and Sixty-sixth streets, at a total cost of $63,500 84.

December 23.—Ninth avenue opened, between One hundred and twenty-fifth street and Bloomingdale road, at a total cost of $25,777 78.

May 1.—Dey street widened, between Broadway and Greenwich street, at a total cost of $10,695 52.

December 13.—Fifty-ninth street opened, from Eighth to Tenth avenue, at a total cost of $9,418 88.

June 14.—Seventy-eighth street opened, from Third to Fifth avenue, at a total cost of $2,357 68.

Seventy-first street, from Third to Seventh avenue, opening of (commenced and discontinued), at a total cost $2,780 57.

December 6.—Sixty-first street, from Third to Fifth avenue, opened at a total cost of $2,601 95.

1852.

Albany street extended, from Greenwich street to Trinity place, at a total cost of $1,860 84.

April 10.—Bloomingdale road extended, from Tenth avenue to Eighty-sixth street, at a total cost of $37,155 87.

July 31.—Stuyvesant square opened, between Third and Fourth avenues and Seventh street, at a total cost of $3,965 12.

Eleventh avenue opening, between Forty-eighth and One hundred and seventh streets (commenced and discontinued), at a cost of $6,601 80.

February 14.—Fifty-ninth street opened, between Fifth avenue and Broadway, at a total cost of $10,767 34.

March 17.—Liberty street extended, from Broadway to Greenwich street, at a total cost of $195,216 92.

June 5.—Fifty-first street opened, from Tenth avenue to Hudson river, at a total cost of $7,542 14.

May 22.—Sixty-second street opened, from Fifth to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $8,723 92.

August 28.—One hundred and nineteenth street opened, from Fourth to Eighth avenue, at a total cost of $9,035 02.

One hundred and twenty-fourth street opened, from Sixth avenue to Old Church road, at a total cost of $9,010 92

First avenue opened, from Forty-second street to Harlem river (commenced and referred back), at a total cost of $17,377 86.

Bloomingdale square opening of (commenced and referred back), at a total cost of $16,172 12.

January 24.—Eighty-fourth street opened, from Ninth avenue to Hudson river, at a total cost of $7,847 10.

Washington street opened, from Twelfth to Gansevoort street, at a total cost of about $9,000.

1853.

December 31.—Beekman street widened, from Nassau to Pearl street, at a total cost of $248,432 26.

February 5.—One hundred and twentieth street opened, from Fourth to Sixth avenue, at a total cost of $3,898 95.

October 29.—Fourth avenue opened, from Thirty-eighth to One hundred and thirtieth street, at a total cost of $65,602 54.

July 23.—One hundred and twenty-third street opened, from Third avenue to Mount Morris square, at a total cost of $3,504 56.

1854.

June 3.—Eleventh avenue opened, from One hundred and seventh to One hundred and forty-fourth street, at a total cost of $12,287 06.

Wall street widened, from Broadway to Nassau street, at a total cost of $5,651 38.

One hundred and twenty-fifth street opened, from Eighth avenue to Bloomingdale road, at a total cost of $3,174 47.

February 4.—Eleventh avenue opened, from Forty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street, at a total cost of $12,124 30.

One hundredth street, opening of, between Fifth and Eighth avenues (commenced and discontinued), cost $1,251 02.

Whitehall street widened, from Bowling Green to State street, cost $15,678 22.

One hundred and third street, opening of, between Third and Eighth avenues (commenced and discontinued), cost $867 87.

May 13.—Fifty-eighth street opened, between Fifth avenue and Hudson river, cost $8,206 06.

June 3.—Ninety-third street opened, from Fourth avenue to East river, cost $6,025 23.

May 27.—Duane street widened, between Broadway and Hudson street, cost $7,669 59.

June 3.—Eighty-fifth street opened, from Third avenue to East river, cost $5,739 06.

October 27.—Park place widened, between Church street and College place, cost $6,000.

September 2.—One hundred and twenty-ninth, One hundred and thirtieth and One hundred and thirty-first streets opened, from Tenth avenue to Hudson river, cost $8,802.

September 23.—Eighty-fourth street opened, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, cost $3,970 30.

September 23.—One hundred and twenty-second street opened, from Third to Fourth avenue, cost $4,752 50.

November 25.—Eighty-third street opening, between Fifth avenue and East river (commenced and discontinued), cost $6,460 98.

February 18.—Eleventh street extended, from Dry Dock street to East river, cost $1,247 66

December 16.—Eightieth street opened, from Fifth avenue to East river, cost $5,802 94.

November 18.—Sixtieth street opened where not opened, cost $9,468 66.

December 2.—Sixty-first street opened where not opened, cost $5,546 96.

December 2.—Sixty-second street opened, where not opened, cost $9,534 24.

December 30.—Eighty-third street opened, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river, cost $6,210 62.

Eighty-first street opened, from Fifth avenue to East river, cost $6,959 98.

December 16.—Ninety-second street opened, from Fifth avenue to East river, cost $6,717 22.

December 9.—Avenue A opened, from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-third street, cost $7,810 14.

Bloomingdale square opened, cost $13,566 88.

1855.

December 29th.—Sixty-fourth street, from Hudson to East river, except where within the bounds of Central Park, at a total cost of $5,026 10.

November 3d.—Avenue D, opening and extending to Fourteenth street, at a total cost of $1,474 15.

June 15.—Ninety-second street, from Fifth avenue to East river, at a total cost of $3,358 61.

——— .—Eightieth street, from Fifth avenue to East river, at a total cost of $2,901 47.

March 2.—Sixty-first street, where not opened, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river, at a total cost of $2,773 98.

June 15.—Eighty-fourth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenues, at a total cost of $1,985 15.

April 28.—One hundred and twenty-second street, from Third to Fourth avenues, at a total cost of $2,376 25.

March 24—One hundred and twenty-ninth, One hundred and thirtieth, and One hundred and thirty-first streets, from Tenth avenue to Hudson river, at a total cost of $4,401.

June 15.—Eighty-third street, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river, at a total cost of $3,109 81.

October.—Ninth avenue, from Bloomingdale road to One hundred and twenty-fifth street, at a total cost of $13,052 39.

1856.

October 1—Cliff street, widening, between Beekman and Ferry streets, at a total cost of $——

August 1.—Seventh avenue, (where not opened) from Forty-second street to Harlem river, at a total cost of $9,005 61.

February 18—Sixtieth street, where not opened, at a total cost of $4,424 33.

March 8.—Sixty-seventh street, where not opened, (discontinued) at a total cost of $3,162 97.

March 2.—Sixty-second street, where not opened or ceded, at a total cost of $1,767 12.

May 1.—Bowery, opening and extending, from southerly side of Chatham square to Franklin square, at a total cost of $20,079 73.

March 9.—Avenue A, from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-third street, at a total cost of $4,055 07.

THE STONE BRIDGE TAVERN AND GARDEN.

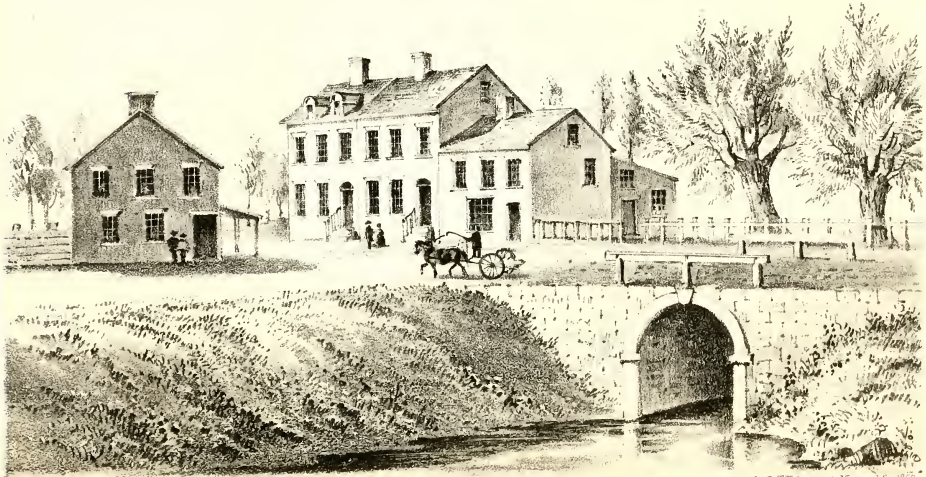
This view of a place of resort, well known to the pedestrians and pleasure-hunters of the metropolis of the period at which this view was taken (1812) will attract attention from the wonderful changes which have taken place in that vicinity since the period referred to. That locality (corner of Broadway and Canal street.) was then some distance beyond the settled parts of the city. We see the stone bridge covering the open canal which traversed the present centre of Canal street. No vestige of its condition, as exhibited in this picture, now remains, and the imagination could hardly paint an ideal which could recall its reality as here presented.

A PROCLAMATION FOR A POST TO GOE MONTHLY FROM THIS CITY TO BOSTON AND BACK AGAINE.

[General Entries iii, 243, Sec. Office, Albany.]

Whereas, it is thought convenient and necessary, in obedience to his Sacred Ma^ties^ command, who enjoynes all his subjects in their distinct Colonyes to enter into a strict Allyance and Correspondency with each other, as likewise for the advancem^t^ of Negotiation, Trade, &c., Civill Commerce, and for a more speedy Intelligence and Dispatch of Affayres; That a Messenger or Post bee authorized to sett forth from this City of New Yorke monthly, and thence to travaile to Boston, from whence within that month hee shall returne againe to this City. These are therefore to give notice to all persons concerned, That on the first day of January next, the messenger appointed shall proceed on his Journey to Boston. If any, therefore, have any Letters or small portable goods to be conveyed to Hartford Connecticott, Boston, or any other parts in the Road, they shall bee carefully delivered according to the Directions by a sworne Messenger and Post, who is purposely Imployed in that Affayre. In the Interim, those that bee disposed to send Letters, let them bring them to the Secretary's Office, where, in a lockt Box, they shall be preserved 'till the messenger calls for them. All persons paying the Post before the Bagg be sealed up. Dated at New York, this 10th day of Decembr, 1672.

By Ord^r^ of y^e^ Governo^r^.



Lith. by G. Hayward, 180 Water St. N.Y.

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STONE BRIDGE TAVERN & GARDEN



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FLY MARKET,

from the cor. Front St. and Maiden Lane, N. Y. 1816.

FLY MARKET.

This market, at the time when this picture was taken, (forty years since,) was the principal market in the city. It received its name from its locality, which as we have stated in our former numbers of the Manual, was derived from the circumstance, that this immediate vicinity, and indeed the whole east side of the city, was originally known as the Smith's vly, or valley, from that prominent feature of a country road, (as was the present Pearl street in the time of the Dutch,) namely, a blacksmith's shop, on the corner of the present Maiden lane.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR Ye POST MASTR.

[GEN. ENTRIES III., 252, SEC. OFFICE, ALBANY.]

In the first place, you are to take yor oath of fidelity wch the Secretary shall administer to you; your duty as to the Generall is included in that Oath.

Next, you are to comport yor selfe wth all sobriety and civility to those that shall intrust you, and not exact on them for the prices both of Letters and Pacquetts.

You are principally to apply yor selfe to the Governors, especially Governor Winthrop, from whom you shall receive the best Direction how to forme ye best Poast Road.

You are likewise to advise where the most commodious place will be to leave all the by-Lettrs out of yor Road, which, when having it once well fixt, you are not only to leave the Letters there, but at your returne to call for answers, and leave a Publication of your Resolutions, the wch you must cause to bee disperst to all parts, that soe all may know when and where to leave their Letters.

You are to give mee an Accot of your negotiation at this time to the end of May; be satisfied of all your proceedings, and bee able to assist you if occasion shall require.

When you think it requisite, you are to marke some Trees that shall direct Passengers the best way, and to fix certaine Houses for your Severall Stages both to bait and lodge at.

When any persons are desirous to travaile wth you, you are to treat them civilly, and to afford them yor best help and assistance, that I may heave noe complaint to you.

You shall doe well to provide yor selfe of a spare Horse, good Port Mantles, that soe neither Letters nor Pacquets receive any Damage under yor hands.

There are some other considerations, wch I shall forbeare to mention till yor returne and I receive a further accompt of you, and soe God bless all yor honest undertakings. FFRAN LOVELACE.

Ffort James ye 22d of Janry 1672.

You are also to detect & cause to bee apprehended all fugitive Souldyers & Servants runn away from these parts.

THE PARTING OF WASHINGTON AND HIS OFFICERS AT THE CLOSE OF THE REVOLUTION.

This affecting ceremonial, which took place at Francis' tavern, on the corner of Broadway and Pearl street, (a building still standing,) has been considered one of the marked events of our national history. It was the first emblematic illustration of the end attained and the future promised, which resulted from the termination of the Revolutionary war. Contrary to all precedents in history, the precise objects with which all the people of America had so long contested, were here practically exemplified. The leader of her armies, having fulfilled his mission, was bidding farewell to his companions in arms, all of whom, like himself, were thereafter to return to their peaceful duties, leaving the great nation whose freedom had been attained, to the free and unbiased action of its own free will, to be expressed through the general voice.

THE OATH GIVEN TO THE POST MASTER.

[Gen. Entries iii, 253, Secretary's Office, Albany.]

You doe Sweare by the Everlasting God, that you will truly & faithfully discharge the trust reposed in you as a Post Master, and that you will neither directly nor indirectly detayne, conceale, or open any Letters, Packetts, or other Goods committed to your Charge, but carefully, & honestly deliver or cause to be delivered all such Letters Packetts or other Goods to the Persons they properly belong unto, & that you will make all the Expedition in passing and repassing the severall Stages wth all speed, & to make noe more stay than necessarily belongs to the refreshing your selfe and Horse, & in all things truly & soberly to comport yor selfe, so as belongs to the trust reposed in you, and as a Post Master ought to doe.

Soe help You God, &c.

STATEN ISLAND DEEDE.

[Patents iv, 62, Secretary's Office.]

This Indenture, made the Thirteenth day of Aprill in the 22th yeare of the Reign of our Sovereigne Lord Charles the Second, by the Grace of God of England, Scotland, Ffrance & Ireland, Kinge Defendr of the Faith &c, & in the yeare of our Lord God 1670, between the Rt Honble Francis Lovelace Esqr, Governour Genrll under his Royall Highnesse James Duke of Yorke & Albany, &c, of all his Territoryes in America, for and on the behalfe of his said Royall Highnesse on the one parte, & Aquepo, Warrines, Minqua, Schemack, Pemantowes, Quewequeen, Wewanecamack & Mata-



A Weingärtner's Lith. N.Y.

DINING ROOM, FRAUNCES' TAVERN,

cor of Pearl & Broad Sts

" Representing the scene of Gen. Washington taking leave of his Officers."

vis, on the behalfe of themselves as the True Sachems Owners & Indian Proprietors of Staten Island, & of all other Indians any way concerned therein on the other Parte Witnesseth, that for & in consideration of a certaine Sume of Wampom & divers other Goods wch in the Schedule hereunto annext are Exprest unto the said Sachems, in hand paid by the said Governour Ffrancis Lovelace or his order, the Receipt whereof they the said Sachems Doe hereby acknowledge to be fully Satisfyed, and thereof & every parte thereof Doe for themselves & all others concerned, their Heires & Successors & every of them, clearly acquitt & Discharge the said Governour & his Successors, Have Given Granted Bargained & Sold, & by theise presents doe fully & absolutely Give Grant Bargaine & Sell unto the said Ffrancis Lovelace, Governour for & on the behalfe of his Royall Higness abovementioned, All that Island lyeing & being in Hudsons Ryver comonly called Staten Island, and by the Indians Aquehonga Manacknong, having on the South the Bay and Sandy Point, on the North the Ryver & the Citty of New Yorke on Manhatans Island, on the East Long Island and on the east [west,] the Maine Land of After Coll or New Jersey, togcther with all the Lands Soyles Meadowes, Fresh & Salt Pastures, Comons Woodland Marshes, Ryvers Ryvoletts Streames Creeks Waters Lakes & whatsoever to the said Island is belonging or in any way appertaining, & all & singular other the prmisses wth the appurtenances & every parte & Parcell thereof without any reservacon of the herbage or Trees or any other thing Growing or being thereupon, And the said Sachems for themselves & all others concerned, their Heires & Successors Doe Covenant to & wth the said Governor & his Successors for & on the behalfe aforesaid in the manner & forme following: that is to say that the said Sachems now are the very true lawfull & Sole Indian Owners of the said Island & all & Singular the prmisses as *Being* Derived to them from their Ancesters, & that now at the ensealing & Delivery of theise prsents they are lawfully Seized thereof, to the use of themselves their Heres & Assignes forever, according the use & custome of the rest of the Native Indians of the Country, And further that the said Island now is & at the tyme of Executing the said Estate to be made as aforesaid, shall be & from tyme to tyme & at all tymes hereafter shall & may stand, remaine & Continue unto the said Governor & his Successors to the use of his Royall Highnesse as aforesaid, freely & clearly discharged & acquitted from all & every former Bargaines Sales Gifts Graunts & Incumbrances whatsoever. And furthermore the said Sachems for themselves & all others concerned, their Heires & Successors do Covent that the said Governour his Successors & Assignes for & on the behalfe of his Royall Highnesse as aforesaid, shall & may from henceforth forever Lawfully, Peacefully & Quietly have hould Possesse & Enjoye all the said Island wth th' appurtenances & all & every other the premisses wth their appurtenances, wthout any Lett resistance molestation or interruption of any of the said Sachems or any others concerned, their Heires & Successors & wthout any manner of lawfull Lett, resistance molestation or inter-

ruption of any other Person or Persons whatsoever clayming by from or under them or any of them. And it is likewise lastly covenanted & agreed that the said Sachems and the rest of the Indians concerned w^th^ them now Inhabiting or residing upon the said Island shall have free leave & liberty to be & remaine thereupon untill the first day of May next, when they are to Surrend^r^ the Possession thereof unto such Person or Persons as the Governo^r^ shall please to appoint to see the same put in Execution, upon w^ch^ day they are all to Transport themselves to some other place & and to resigne any Interest or Clayme thereunto or to any parte thereof for ever. To have & to hould the said Island so Bargained & sould as aforementioned unto the said rancis Lovelace Governour & his Successors for & on the behalfe of his Royall Highnesse, his Heires & Assignes unto the proper use & behalfe of his said Royall Hignesse, his Heires & Assignes forever. In Witnesse whereof the Partyes to theise p^r^sent Indentures have Interchangably sett to their Hands & Seales y^e^ day & yeare first herein Wrytten.

"Sealed and Delivered in the P^r^sence of

Cornelys Steenwick, Mayo^r^,
Ruyven,
Allard Anthony,
Garrett Van Wight,
Warner Wessells, Constable,
William Nicolls,
Humphrey Davenport,
Cornelys Bedlow,
Nicholas Anthony,
} 4 Youths.

The^o^: Lovelace,
Oloffe Stevens Cortlandt,
Johannes Vanbrugh,
Isaack Bedlow,

The marke ⊆ of Aquepo, (seale.)
The marke on behalfe of ⊆ of Warvenes, (seale.)
The marke of Wewaneameck on the behalf of ∞ Minqua Sachemack. (seale)
The marke of Aquepo, on the behalfe of ⊼ Pemantowes, (seale.)
The marke of ⋈ Quewequeen.
The marke of ≺ Wewanecamek.
The marke of ⊆ of Matavis.

MEMORANDUM.

"The Young Indians not being p^r^sent at the Ensealing & Delivery of the within wrytten deed, it was againe delivered & acknowledged before them, whose names are here under wrytten as witnesses:

"Aprill y^e^ 15th: 1670.

"Signed in the p^r^sence of

The Governo^r^,
Capt^n^ Manning,
The Secretary.

The marke ⟨ of Pewowahone,
a boy about 5 Yeares old.
The marke S of Rokques,
a Girle about 6 Yeares old.
The marke of ⟀ Canavehante,
a Girle about 12 Yeares old.
The marke of ⟆ Maquadus,
a Young Man about 15 Yeares old.
The marke ⟜ of Ahekaveios,
a Young man about 20 Yeares old.

"The Payment Agreed upon for y^e^ Purchase of Staten Island, Conveyed this day by y^e^ Indian Sachems, Proprietor^s^, is (viz^t^)

400 Fathoms of Wampum,
30 Match Coates,
8 Coats of Dozens made up,
30 Shirts,
30 Kettles,
20 Guns,
A Firkin of Powder,
60 Barres of Lead,
30 Axes,
30 Howes, &
50 Knives.

MEMORANDUM.

"It is Covenanted & Agreed upon by & betweene y^e^ w^th^in mentioned, Francis Lovelace, Esq^r^., Governor, &c., for and on the behalfe of his Royall Highn^ss^ & y^e^ w^th^in wrytten Sachems, on the behalfe of themselves and all others concerned, before the enscaling & delivery hereof, that two or three of the said Sachems, their Heires, or Successor^s^, or so many Persons employed by them, shall once every yeare, (viz^t^:) upon the first day of May Yearly after their surrender, repaire to this ffort to acknowledg their sale of the said Staten Island to the Governor or his Successors, to Continue a mutuall friendship betweene them, as witness their hands:

The marke of ⋉ Aquepo,
The marke of Wewanacameck,
on y^e^ behalfe of X Minqua Sachemack,
The marke of ☾ Aquepo,
☾ on behalfe of Matavis,
The marke of ○ Aquepoe,
on behalfe of Warvines,
The marke of X Quewequeen,
The marke of V Wewanecameck,
The marke of O Matavis.

"Recorded the day & yeare w^th^in wrytten, by me,
MATTHIAS NICOLLS, Sec^r^"

VIEW IN CHATHAM STREET.

This view of a portion of one of our most popular thoroughfares, in its present condition, (1857) is given with a design to exhibit a peculiarity which when considered, in reference to almost every other portion of the city, is remarkable. These old buildings now in a state of complete dilapidation, are the same which were originally erected on their site, while other parts of the city in the immediate vicinity, have seen the erection and successive demolition and re-erection of two and in some instances three or four edifices since the period of the first buildings on this street.

ABSTRACT

OF SOME OF THE MOST ANCIENT CONVEYANCES OF PROPERTY UNDER THE ENGLISH COLONIAL GOVERNMENT.

Dirck Jansen of Oldenburgh, to *Jaques Cosseau.*—House and yard on the Heere graft, to the south the house and garden of Gerret Jansen Ross; to the west the yard of Abraham Delanoy, to the north the house and yard of Reynout Reynoutsen, and to the east the Heere graft. July, 1665.

Laurens De Sille, on behalf of his father, to *Ryck Hendricksen.*—His father's house and garden on the Prince graft; to the north the yard of Hendrick Vanderval, to the east the yard of the aforesaid De Sille, to the west the graft.

John Vinje and *Pieter Stoutenburgh*, curators of the estate of *Rachel Van Tienhoven*, to *Christopher Van Laer.*—Yard easterly the Prince graft, south the yard of Samuel Drissius, westerly the yard of Carel Van Brugh, northerly the Thuyn straat. October, 1665.

Same parties to *Pieter Jansen*, ship-carpenter.—A yard on the Maagde paatje; northwest Lysbet Tysen, southeast Pieter Narmens; thirty-four feet front and rear, twenty-five feet deep. October, 1665.

Same parties to *Pieter Harmensen*, ship-carpenter.—A yard on the Maagde paatje; northwest Pieter Jansen, southeast Jan Ariensen; thirty-four feet front and rear, two hundeed and fifty-one feet deep. October, 1665.

Same parties to *Jan Adriensen*, ship-carpenter.—A yard on the Maagde paatje; northwest Peter Harmens, southeast Dirck the Norman; forty feet front, forty-one feet rear, two hundred and fifty-three and one half feet deep. October, 1665.

Balthazar De Haert, as attorney of *De Decker* and *De Laugh*, *Francois Boon.*—House and yard to the south the house and yard of Capt. M. Cri-



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OLD HOUSES in CHATHAM ST. opposite the PARK, 1857.

gier, to the west the straud of the North river, to the north the house and yard of Cornelis Van Ruyven; thirty-two feet front and rear, in depth, as the other yards, to the fence. The same property having been conveyed by Jacob Backer to Delang, in 1659. November, 1665.

Hendrick Jansen De Ruyter to *Barent Cruytdof.*—A yard on the west of the Heere straat, having at the south Lucas Andriesen, to the west the shore of the North river, to the north Lysbet Pietersen, to the east the street. 1659.

Elizabeth Tysen to *Pieter Jansen.*—Land in the Smith's valley, northeast of the land of said Elizabeth; one hundred and twenty-seven feet long, twenty-five feet broad. 1666.

Pieter Jansen to *Elizabeth Thysen.*—Land on Maagde paatje, at the southwest side of said Jansen, containing two hundred and twenty-six feet long at the southwest side, in breadth thirty-five feet four inches, and at the northeast side thirty four feet four inches; all Dutch measure.

Pieter Wolfertsen Van Couwenhoven to *Rynier Vandercoele.*—House, brew-house, island in the valley, abutting on the land of Mr. Samuel Drissius, containing, on the west side seventy-one and one half feet, on the south side one hundred feet, on the east side sixty-six feet, and on the south side ninety-seven feet; Dutch measure. 1666.

Adam Onclebagh to *Jan Woutersen.*—House and yard on the west side of Smee straat, having to the north the house and yard of Andries Andriesen, to the south Thomas Verdno; thirty-three feet front, thirty-three feet rear, eighty-three feet deep. 1666.

Paulus Vanderbeeck to *Egbert Meyndertsen.*—House and yard between the house and yard of William Bredenbent and the house of the Deacons. 1666.

Claes Van Elslant, Senior to *Anthony Demilt.*—A yard on the east of Anthony Demilt; in length, at the north, forty-five wood feet, on the south forty-four feet, twenty-two feet; twenty feet rear. 1666.

Simon Jansen Romeyn, (curator of La Chair,) to *Arien Van Laer.*—House and yard in the Hoogh straat, having to the west the house and yard of Carel Van Brugh, to the north the street, to the east Arent Isaacsen; twenty-four feet front, twenty-two feet deep.

Jacob Leendertsen Vandiegrist to *Simon Jansen Romeyn.*—House and yard south of Markvelt Steegie, lying to the east of Nicholas Boot, south of Jonas Barteltzen, west of Frerick Aersen, and north of the street. 1666.

Rem Jansen Smith, of Long Island, to *Walter Salter.*—House and [illegible] south side of High street, north side of house and land of said Jansen, west of Sybout Clasen, east of Mary Peeck. 1666.

Augustyn Heermans to *Frederick Philipse.*—House and land without the land gate, to wit: the great house now occupied by Cornelius Aertsen, and the little house now occupied by Pieter Stoutenburgh, to the southeast of the property of Johannes Van Burgh and Gerrit Jansen Roos,

northeast of the city wall. In breadth, on the north and south sides, twelve and seven tenths rods, to the west side, thirty-one rods; on the east side thirty-one rods; and the other lot behind the brew-house, next the property of Jan Vinje and Rachel Van Tienhoven, lying on the Heere waege wegh, (Broad wagon way,) near the great house, and near the yard of Claes Jansen. 1666.

Claes Paulsen to *Pieter Abraamsen.*—House and lot on the west side of the Heere graft, between Stoffel Van Laer and Pieter Hartgers. 1666.

Augustyn Heermans to *Oloff Stevensen Van Cortland.*—One eighth part of the *Claver Waytie* lying to the west side of Maagde paatje, between Jan Vinje and Abraham Verplanck. 1666.

Angustyn Heermans to *Sarah Kiersted*, widow of *Hans Kiersted*, deceased.—Two lots in the city, one west of Heer La Montagnie, next the brew-house of Daniel Verveslen; twenty-five feet front, in length equal to Montagnie's land. 1666.

Arien Van Laer to *Cornelis Jansen.*—House and lot on the Hoogh straat, to the west of Carel Van Brugh, to the north the street, and to the east A. Isaacksen; twenty-four feet front. 1666.

Jacob Hendricksen Varravanger to *Rinier Williamson.*—Lot on north side of Brouwer straat, between Frederick Philipse and Matthew Devo, on the west side seven rods three and one fourth feet; in breadth, on the south side, two rods six and three fourths feet. 1667.

Thomas Davidson to *Dominie Saml. Drissius.*—Lot on the south side of the wall, bounded on the east, south and west by the land of said Drissius; thirty feet front. 1667.

Claes Jansen Ruyter, (estate of,) to *Simon Jansen Romeyn.*—House and parcel of land on east side of Hudson river, abutting with the north and east sides on the land of Lodowick Post; containing, on the northwest side, sixty-five feet, on the southwest side fifty feet, on the southeast side forty-six feet, on the northeast side thirty-six feet; Holland wood weasure. Consideration five hundred and ninety-five guilders. 1667.

Frederick Philipse to *Pieter Stoutenburgh.*—Parcel of land lying outside of the land gate. Southeast of the property of Johannes Van Brugh and Gerrit Jansen Roos, northeast of the city wall; broad, on the north and south sides, twelve and seven tenths rods; on the west side thirty-two rods, on the east side thirty-one rods 1667.

Simon Jansen Romeyn to *Lawrens Vanderspeigle.*—House and lot west of the Heere graft, to the south of Teunis Caay, north of Olof Van Cortland; seventeen and one half feet front, depth three rods three feet.

Dirck Volkertsen to *Olof Stevensen Van Cortland.*—His eighth part of the Claver Waytie, lying on the Maagde paatje, between Jan Vinje and Abraham Verplanck. 1667.

Frederick Philipse to *Gulyn Verplanck.*—His fourth part of the house and land outside the land gate, between Peter Stoutenburgh and the garden of the premises occupied by Cornelius Aertsen. 1667.

Englebert Steenhuysen to *Johannes Vervelen.*—House and lot on south side of Prince straat, east of Jan Van Bommell, west of Susanna the Negress.

Nicholas Boot to *Simon Jansen Romeyn.*—Consideration seven hundred and sixty guilders. House and lot on Markvelt steegie; six rods front, five rods deep. 1667.

Estate of Andries Hudden to *Wyntje Aertsen.*—Houses and lands on the Breedwegh, (Broadway,) between Isaac Greveraet and Mr. Blackleet; broad, on the street and in rear five rods, in depth eighteen rods. 1667.

Gerrit Jansen Van Aernham to *Nicholas Dupuy.*—A lot on south side of Prince straat, west by Susanna the Negress, east Jan Hendriek Van Bommell. 1667.

Nicholas Verlett to *Resolvert Waldron.*—Lot in Parel straat, west of house and lot of Thomas Francis, east of house and lot of P. J. Marius; in front and rear, on north and south sides, two and one half rods; east and west sides six and one half rods. 1667.

Jan Snediger to *Egbert Wonterscn.*—Lot on Prince graaft, between houses and lots of William Bredenbent and Hendrick Jansen Vandervin; in length, on south side, eight rods six feet; on the east side fourteen rods three feet, on north side three rods one foot. 1667.

Andries Jochemsen to *John Lawrence.*—House and lot at the wall, between the houses and lots of John Lawrence and Renout Renoutsen; thirty-one feet on the way, eighty-eight feet deep. 1667.

Mary Peeck to *Jan Ariensen.*—House and lot north of Smith's valley, having to the east house and lot of Anna Siseo, to the south the strand of the East river, to the west and north house and land of Cornelis Jansen Clopper; on the south and north sides three rods four feet, in depth ten rods eight feet. 1667.

Cornelius Steenwyck to *Paulus Richards.*—House and lot between Sara Kierstede and Dome. Samuel Drissius; in length, before the shore and in rear, one rod seven feet; in depth four rods nine feet, 1667.

Cornelius Steenwyck to *Dome. Saml. Drissius.*—House and lot within this city, at the strand, having to the east the house and lot of Paulus Leendersen Vandiegrist, to the south the strand of the East river, to the west the house and lot of Paulus Richards, and to the north side the Bridge street; on the south and north one rod seven feet, east and west eight rods. 1667.

Govert Loockermans to *Jaques Cosseau.*—Lot, house and horse-mill, in the Slych Steegee, having to the west Adrian Vincent, to the north and east Abraham Timmerman, and to the south the Slych steege; on the west side forty-five feet, on north side thirty-two feet. 1667.

Nicholas Jansen Backer to *Hendrick Jansen Backer.*—Lot on the Schreyer hook, on the west side Cornelisen Van Vorst, on the east

Mighiel Jansen; on the southwest side forty feet, on the northeast ninety feet nine inches, on northwest five rods two feet. 1667.

Francen Vanderbriel to *Jan Harbending*.—Lot north side of the Slyck steegh, west Evert Duyching, east Jan Hendricks Van Bommel; on north and south sides twenty-eight feet, on east one hundred and seventy-seven feet. 1667.

Arent Jansen Moesman to *William Derval*.—(Consideration twenty-seven beavers.) House and land in the Heere straat, having to the north Cornelius Plinier, to the south the garden formerly of the West India Company; in breadth, on the east side, four rods seven inches; in length, on north and south sides, seven rods six feet. 1667.

Govert Lookermans to Reynout Reynoutsen.—House and lot at the shore, east of house and lot of J. Van Brugh, west the lot of Govert Loockermans; on the south side, four rods seven inches in length, twelve rods.

Nicholas Verbraack to Laurens De Sille.—House and lot on the east side of the Heere graft; in front nineteen feet; in depth eighty-one feet; having to the south lot of Abraham Jansen, north William Hoffmeyer. 1668.

Burger Joris to Thomas Lewis.—A lot, dwelling and still house towards the East river, on west of Johannes Van Brugh, on the east of the Smee straat, on the south of Martin Meyer, and north of the river; in breadth on the south side, three rods three and one half feet; on the north, five rods three feet; on west side at the street, eleven rods; on east, eleven rods five feet.

Aldert Kormick to Abel Hardenbrook.—House and lot in Hoagh straat, to the west house and yard of Jochem De Backer, to the south Hoagh straat, to the west houses of Jacob Van Couwenhoven, and to the north the Slyck steegh; in front, one rod nine feet; in rear, one rod eight feet; on west side, seven rods three feet; on east, seven rods eight feet. 1668.

William Abrahamsen Vanderborden to Christopher Hooghland.—Lot outside of the land gate, east side of the Heere wegh, having to the south the house and land of Gerret Hendricksen, to the west the Heere wegh, to the north the Maagde paatje; in front, six and four fifths rods. 1668.

Augustyn Hermans to Hend. Hend. Kip, Jr.—House and lot on east side of the Heere wegh, broad eight rods one foot. 1668.

Barent Egbertsen to Jacob Leisler.—House and lot in the street called the City Wall, east of Hendrick Blaurochs, and west of Cornelis Jansen; on south, twenty-one feet; north, twenty feet seven inches; east and west sides, seventy-seven feet. 1668.

Martin Hoffman to Captain John Manning.—Lot and houses on the east of High street, having to the north the place where the Court of guard was kept, to the east house and lot of John Petersen, to the south lot of Leendert Arentsen, to the west the street; in front, three rods eight feet; east, one rod six feet; north and south sides, eleven rods two feet. 1668.

Gerret Jansen Van Aernhan to William Patteson.—House and lot east of the Smee straat, having to the north house and lot of Gabriel Carpesy, to the east Albert Jansen, south Janneken Dordes, to the west the street.

George Wolsey to William Patteson.—House and lot at the water side, having to the west a small street or lane, to the north the High street, to the east house and lot of Charles Bridges, and south the street aforementioned; on the south side, thirty-four feet; on north side, twenty-four feet; in depth, ninety-two feet. 1668.

Thomas Maya to Alexander Watts.—House and lot on east side of Broadway, adjoining north to the house of Abraham Pietersen Molenaer, on south to ground of Jan Jansen Van Brestee; in front, two rods; on north side, six rods seven feet; on south, five rods four feet.

Jacob Varravanger to William Patteson.—House and lot on South street, between ground of Govert Loockermans, and house and ground of Andries Rea; on west side, eight and two fifths rods; on east, nine and two fifths rods; on north side, twelve rods; on south side, eleven rods five feet.

Cornelis Hendricksen to R. Vowells.—House and lot by the wall at a corner of Smee straat, to east of Adrian Van Laer, to north of Cryn Jorisen; on east side, thirty feet; on west side, thirty-four feet; on north side, twenty-six feet; on south, twenty-four feet. 1669.

Frederick Gysbersen Vanderberg to John De Peyster.—Lot on south side of street, called the Cingel, having to east and south lots of Govert Loockermans, west house and lot of Adrian Dircksen, north the street; twenty-eight feet front; thirteen rods deep. 1669.

Nicholas Verlett to Jacob Leisler.—House and lot toward the water side, between the house and lot of Gov'r Peter Stuyvesant and the house and lot of said Leisler; north side, thirty feet; east side, forty-nine feet, with a passage of five feet between him and Stuyvesant. 1669.

Joris Stevensen to Jacob Lennis.—Lot on the Cingel to the east house and lot of Peter Simson, west and south Dom'e Drissius; thirty feet front and rear; sixty feet deep. 1669.

Peter Stuyvesant to Christopher Hooghland, merchant.—Lot to the north of the lot heretofore of Peter Prins; twenty-five feet on the north side; on east and west, sixty-one feet; a passage on the south of four feet, to use of Jacob Leisler. 1669.

John Geraerdy to Frederick Philipse.—Ground in Brewer street; on south side, seven and three quarter feet.

Augustyn Heermans to Isaac Bedlo.—Lot on west side of Smith street, on north side of Prince street; on east side, five and one half rods; on north side, six rods two feet; on west side, five and one half rods; on the south side, three rods twelve feet nine inches. 1669.

Jacob Strycker to Dirck Jansen.—Two lots in the schaape-way, containing on south side by the fence of Albert Trumpeter, seven rods; on north side to lot formerly of Cornelis Van Ringven, seven rods; on the east by La Montagnie's land, five rods; on the west, the like, together with the adjoining lot. 1669.

Estate of Rachel Van Tienhoven to Olof Stevensen Van Cortland.—A parcel of land without the land gate, on west of the highway, south of land of Jan Vinje; breadth on east side or highway, eighteen and seven tenths rods; west, the like in length on both sides, from the highway down to the strand or water side. 1669.

Estate of Rachel Van Tienhoven to Jan Roelofsen.—Lot in Smith's Valley, west of lot of Warner Wessels and G. Verplank, east of Sander Leendersen; south side, fifty-one feet; north, same; east, eleven rods three feet. 1669.

Estate of Abraham Clock to William Patterson.—Lot south of High street, east of Evert Duyching, west of the highway, called Borger Joris Path, north of house and lot of said Clock; on the north or street side, four rods; south, the like; on the east and west sides, twenty-five feet. 1669.

Thomas Lawrensen to John Rider.—Plot at the walls near the strand gate, bounded north by land of Tunis Templer, south widow Tetscho; thirty feet on east and west; eight rods north and south. 1669.

Estate of Hendrick Jansen Smith to Janetjie De Witt.—Lot on Bridge street, between Samuel Edsal and Isaac Foreest; broad on north side, two rods two feet; on south, one rod seven feet; on west side, two rods eight feet; on the east, two rods four feet. 1669.

Henry Steelman to Henry Coustrie.—House and lot in High street, between Evert Duyching and lot of said Steelman; on the north or street, thirty-four feet; on east and west, forty feet. 1669.

Jacob Kip and Jacob Strycker to Olof S. Van Cortland.—House and lot on south side of Brewer street; on north side, thirty-two feet; on west, forty-four feet. 1669.

Estate of Gerret Hendricksen to Barent Coers.—House and lot on the Markvelt; west, twenty feet. 1669,

The Deacons of the Church to Jan Jooster and Dirck Wiggersen—Lot and old house on Broadway. 1669.

Evert Jansen Wandell to Jacob Farment.—Lot on Beaver graft, having to the east house and lot of Roelof the butcher, west Laurens Jansen; breadth north thirty feet; depth fifty-four feet.

Isaac Greveraat to P. Jansen Slott.—Lot and old house to south of the Fort, abutting on east end of lot of John Evertsen Bout; in length on the highway or east side, nine rods; on west next to Bout, eight rods nine feet; on south before the house, one rod three feet; north next the Fort, one rod three feet. 1669.

Estate of Greetje Gerritsen to Barent Coursen.—House and lot on High street, having to the west Jan Cooley, to east Nicholas De Meyer, twenty-five feet front on south side, extending to Slyeh lane. 1670.

Cornelius Van Ruyven to Peter Roelofsen.—House and lot in the Schaape Waytie, between Bay Croesvelt and Pieter Jansen; in breadth before the street or west side, thirty-two feet; on east, thirty-three feet; north, one hundred feet; south, one hundred and thirty-three feet. 1670.

Gerret Hendricksen to Etiene Geneson.—House and lot east of Broadway, outside the land gate, having to the north grouud of Peter Nys, to the east Jan Verije, to the south Claes Jansen, to the west the way; on west, six rods eight feet; east, six rods nine feet; north side, twelve rods.

Isaac Greveraat to Jaques Cosseau.—House and lot on Parel street; south side, two rods; north side, one and one half rod; length, from the street to the plains of the Fort, together with an alley between same and Cosseau. 1670.

LIST OF RETAILERS OF SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS

IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, APRIL 24, 1776.

[From a volume entitled "Military Committee, 1755-1778," page 598, Secretary's office, Albany.]

Retailers' names.	Places of abode.	Licenses.
Margaret Rutherford	Cooper's street, near Lupton's Wharf	Not licensed.
Bryan Conner	" " "	Licensed.
William McBride	" " "	Not licensed.
Garret Oaks	Cruger's Wharf	Licensed.
Abm. De La Noy	Golden Hill	Not licensed.
William Scandret	"	"
Widow Leary	Opposite the Oswego Market	"
Robt. Campbell	" "	"
Moses Sherwood	" "	"
Thomas Lowrey	" "	Licensed.
William Scott	Broadway, near the Oswego Market	"
David Grigg	Oswego street	"
Const Steymets	Lower corner of Oswego street	Not licensed
Andrew Mountain	Leary Slip, near the Ferry Stairs	"
Cornelius Myers	" " "	"
Thomas Warner	" " "	"
Lester Martin	" " "	Excise.
John Tuttle	Lower corner of Leary's street	Licensed.
John Jones	Leary's street, near the Broad Way	"
Cristr. Benson	Opposite the Play House	Not licensed.
Thomas Welsh	Opposite the Fly Market	Excise.
Jasper Drake	Beekman's Slip	Not licensed.
Foster Lewis	Between Beekman's and Burling's Slips.	Licensed.
Nicholas Conway	Nicholas Coroy, near Beekman's Slip	Not licensed.
Daniel Burke	" " "	"
Margaret Marsh	Peck's Slip	Licensed.
Benj. Egbert	Beekman's Slip	Excise.
Duncan Campbell	Beekman's street, near the Chapple	Not licensed.
Richard Fletcher	" " "	"
George Mullin	" near Horse and Cart st.	"
Alex. Leslie	Chathem st., corner house near Barracks.	"
Peter A. Lowrely	Chathem street	"
Adam Shamburgh	"	"
William Cullen	"	"
Elizabeth Teff	Opposite the Collick Pond	"
Thomas Bowden	Barrack street	Licensed.

Retailers' names.	Places of abode.	Licenses.
John McGillbraw	Barrack street	Not licensed.
Mathew Hanley	"	"
Agnes Newton	Back of the Barracks	"
Jacob Lintner	Corner of the Barracks	Excise.
James Holden	Near the Barracks	Licensed.
Cristr. Fagenham	" "	"
Agnes Douglass	" "	"
Abm Sebiring	" " Gate	Not licensed.
Pelsue & Halsted	" " "	Excise.
Aarian Randal	" " "	Licensed.
James Lamasney	Corner house near the Hospital	Not licensed.
Charles Sabaden	George st., nearly opposite Barrack Gate	"
Cornelius Bogardus	" " "	"
Hugh Ross	" " "	"
Philip Acker	" " "	Excise.
Ann McWilliams	" " "	Not licensed.
John Saddler	" " "	Excise.
James Berningham	" " "	Licensed.
Mary Montanye	Opposite the Green, near the Bridewell.	"
John Taylor	" " "	Excise.
John Brandon	" " "	Licensed.
James Lought, jr	" " "	"
Edward Welsh	" " "	"
John Planton	" " "	"
Patrick McQue	" " "	"
Wm. Williams	Head of the Broadway	Not licensed.
Ereetty Lafoy	" "	"
Agnes Vanderhoof	" "	"
Andrew Hopper	" "	Licensed.
William Lintworth	" "	Not licensed.
Lucas Vanderbergh	Dey's Dock	"
William Slow	Near the Bear Market	"
William Cooley	" "	Licensed.
Sarah Hawkins	Opposite the King's Store	Not licensed
Altrey Deane	Dey's street	"
John Staples	"	"
Mary Clem	"	Licensed.
Mangle Miuthorn	"	Not licensed.
Alex'r Hossick	"	"
Hannah Stedeford	"	"
Elen Longmore	Maiden Lane	"
Mary Ryan	Corner of King's st., near French Church	"
Rebecca Cowley	Near the Fly Market	"
Samuel Conner	Peck's Slip	"
Ann Areson	"	Licensed.

Retailers' names.	Places of abode.	Licenses.
Peter Hall	Peck's Slip	Excise.
Joseph Childs	"	Not licensed.
Patrick Blanchrill	"	"
William Palmer	"	Excise.
John Cargil	"	Licensed.
Mary Thompson	De Grushe's Dock	Not licensed.
Morris Earl	" "	"
James Forbes	Ship-yards, Barnes's Dock	"
William Gillas	" " "	"
Michael Lowrey		"
John Snell	Ship-yards, Barnes's Dock	"
Jonathan Plack	" " "	"
John Buchannan	" " "	"
John Low	Fresh Water	"
Marenus Low	"	"
John Somandyke	"	Excise.
John Kirby	Broadway	Licensed.
Charles J. Brandon	Near the new Presbyterian Meeting	Not licensed.
Jacob Brothers	Opposite the Presbyterian Meeting	"
Thomas Bevan	" " "	"
Mary Watkins	" " "	"
Jacob Utt	Chamber street	"
Robert Robson	Warren street	"
Thomas Vernam	"	"
Alex'r Clark	New Chapple street	Licensed.
Henry Stanton	Warren street	Not licensed
Alex'r Dugan	"	"
Catharine Johnson	"	"
William Day	"	Licensed.
John Sweeten	Murrays street	"
Francis Travellar	"	Not licensed.
Edward Henley	"	Licensed.
Patrick Higgens	"	"
John Cregier	"	Not licensed.
George Willis	"	Excise.
Jacob Male	"	Not licensed.
William Douglass	"	"
Nicholas Kilman	Robinson street	"
John Clarke	"	Licensed.
John Armstrong	Barclay street	Not licensed.
Henry Didwhoof	"	Licensed.
Jacob Steymets	"	Not licensed.
Martin Acle	"	"
Jerry Jinkins	Opposite the Bear Market	Licensed.
Jacob Vanorden	" "	"

Retailers' names.	Places of abode.	Licenses.
Arch. McDonald	Church street	Licensed.
William Ash	Vesey street	Not licensed
Catharine Ash	Partition street	Licensed.
Elizabeth Taber	"	Not licensed.
Catharine McLane	Opposite the Bear Market	Licensed.
Mary Thomas	Near the Bear Market	Not licensed.
Jacob Banta	Nassau street	Licensed.
William Larew	"	Not licensed.
Abraham Saunders	George street	"
Robert Johnson	Ferry street	"
Abraham Cannon	Corlis Hook	"
Andrew Miller	"	"
Jasper Miller	"	"
Daniel Campbell	"	Licensed.
Henry Vanderham	"	Not licensed.
Abm. Miller	Near Rutgers's Brew-house	"
Adam Dobbs	" "	"
Abraham Houseman	Bowry Lane	Licensed.
Richard Varian	Bull's Head	Not licensed.
John Kierbaker	Bowry Lane	Licensed.
Abraham Mansen	"	Not licensed.
Thomas Lawrence	"	"
John Mott	"	Excise.
William Leonard	"	Licensed.
Michael Keyser	"	"
Thomas White	"	Not licensed.
L. Komodanea	"	Licensed.
Abigal Spicer	"	Not licensed.
William Williams	"	"
Martin Shear	"	"
Andrew McCalpin	New Road, near Greenwich	Licensed.
Abram Deal	" "	"
John Peter	Near Lispenardes' Brew-house	Excise.
William Korbey	Back of Lispenardes	Not licensed.
Abram Bull	Near Lispenardes	"
David Mallor	Fresh Water	Excise.
Archibald Gitfield	Slaughter-house street	Not licensed.
Magnis Garrit	" " "	"
Catharine Montanye	Fresh Water	Licensed.
John Becker	"	"
James Widowson	Cherry street	Not licensed.
John Butler	"	"
John Kissick	Cow-pot Hill	"
James Rogers	Queen street	"
Daniel McNulty	"	"

Retailers' names.	Places of abode.	Licenses.
Robert Henry	Fresh Water Hill	Excise.
Joseph Cheesman	Georges street	Not licensed.
William Slayter	Price street	Excise.
Ralph Welsh	William street	Not licensed.
David Grim	"	Excise.
John King	"	Licensed.
David Philips	"	"
Medeiff Eden	Golden Hill	Not licensed.
Francis Cooley	" Gold street	Licensed.
Duncan McNight	Fair street	Not licensed.
Michael Spalden	"	Excise.
Charles Gardner	"	Not licensed.
Philip Lynch	"	"
Joshua Chamberland	Nassau street	"
Martin Cregier	"	Licensed.
James Carter	"	Excise.
John Teall	"	Not licensed.
Sarah Vandewater	"	"
Lewis Gautier	"	"
William Pigney	"	"
Cornelius Swarthout.	"	Licensed.
Sarah Brock	Opposite the Coffee House	Not licensed.
Mrs Farrara	Coffee House	"
John Taylor	On Governeur's Wharf	Licensed.
Thomas Hyatt	Hunter Key, near the Bridge	Not licensed.
James Grammel	" " "	"
John Romaine	Cruger's Wharf, near the Bridge	"
Willoly Loftus	" " "	Licensed.
Charity Wheeler	Cruger's Wharf	Not licensed
Charles Berry	" "	"
Frederick Myles	Adj'ng fortification on Cruger's Wharf.	"
Alex'r McGraw	Ten Eyck Wharf, Coenties Market	Licensed.
John Lee	Albany Peer	Not licensed.
Simon Vanantwerp	Little Dock street, near Coenties Slip	"
Ann Huston	Albany Peer	"
John Nash	"	Licensed.
George Remsen	Water street, near the Exchange Bridge.	Not licensed.
James Colham	" " " " "	"
Mathew Ernest	" " " " "	"
George Bell	" " " "	Licensed.
Jacob Hutchins	Water street, opposite Custom House	"
Philip Lynch	White Hall	"
Samuel Hilyard	"	"
Mary Wadick	" Slip	Not licensed.
Jacob Pozer	" Philadelphia Stage House	Licensed.

Retailers' names.	Places of abode.	Licenses.
John Betts	Broadway, near the lower Barracks	Licensed.
Robert Cheesman	" " Pearl street	"
Robert Elison	Cop street, behind the lower Barracks	Not licensed.
George Nicolls	" " " "	"
Nath. Welsh	Dock street, near the Exchange	"
James Banks	" " White Hall	"
James Hamilton	" at the corner near Exchange.	"
Samuel Francis	Near the Exchange	Licensed.
Peter Bino	Broad street, near the Exchange Bridge.	"
Cath. Frazer	Stone street	"
Henry Burdel	Broad street, opposite the Jew's Alley	Not licensed.
Rich. J. Clark	Beaver street	Licensed.
Thomas Mason	Corner of Beaver st., near Bolden Green.	"
Moses Mardin	Broadway, opposite the Bolden Green	Not licensed.
William Cockran	Broad Way, opposite the Fort	"
John Walker	" near the Breastwork	Licensed.
Mrs. Beekman	" " "	Not licensed.
Thomas Phenix	" opposite Lutheran Church.	"
John Simmons	Wall street, near the City Hall	Licensed.
Charles Brown	Broad street, corner of Verldenberg Hill	Not licensed.
John Marshall	Old Dutch Church street.	"
John Grigg	Sloat Alley	Excise.
—— Pringel	Beaver street, at the Crooked Billet	Not licensed.
James Maldrem	Opposite Slip market	"
Edward Doughty	White Hall Dock	"
Rebecca Youel	Opposite Coffee House	"
John Townsend	Opposite the Coffee House Bridge	"
George Campbell	Irish street, near the Dock	Licensed.
George Crookshanks.	New Dock	Not licensed.
Thomas Dorin	" near the Fly Market	"
John Watts	" " "	"
Sophia Busler	Fly Market, near the Ferry Stairs	"
Michael Ritter	" " " "	Licensed.
John Bish	" " " "	"
John Ebert	Opposite the Fly Market	"
William McComb	" "	Not licensed.
John Beck	" "	Licensed.
Elizabeth Burtis	Maiden Lane	Not licensed.
Wm. Marrener	William street	Excise.
John Bridgewater	Near the New Dutch Church	Not licensed.
James Horner	French Church st., near the Broadway.	"
Abraham Bond	Roosevelt's Slip, North river	Excise.
James McEstee	" " "	"
—— Hull	Broadway	Not licensed.
Elizabeth Williams.	Pot Baker's Hill	"

Retailers' name.	Place of abode.	Licenses.
Henry Ustick	Pot Baker's Hill	Not licensed.
Douglass & Van Tuyl	Corner near the Fly Market	"
Benjamin Hoghlandt.	Fly Market, near the Ferry Stairs	"
Timothy Scandret	" " "	Licensed.
—— Lawrence	" " "	Not licensed.
Nathan Fish	" " "	"
Garret De Foreest	" " "	"

A LIST OF SUNDRY PERSONS THAT HAVE PAID DUTY OF THE EXCISE FOR 1776, TO EVERT BANCKER.

Wm. Ash, living in Veese's street.
Ann Arrison, at Peck's Slip.
Elizth Anderson, at Domye Hook, not yet pd.
Philip Acker, near Waterworks, not pd.
James Bermingham, in ye field.
Abraham Bond, Roosevelt's Dock, Nt River.
Hugh Braan, Wm Street.
John Betts, White Hall Slip.
John Brandin, in the fields.
John Beek, Fly market.
Garret Barrin, between Beekmen's and Burling's Slip.
Wm. Bull, near Mr. Lispenard's.
Daniel Burck, Burlin's Slip.
John Cargill, near Peck's Slip.
Martin Cregier, Nassaw Street.
Francis Cooley, Golden Hill.
Daniel Campbell, Ogelevie's place.
John Cregier, near the College.
Wm Corbee, near Marschalk's place, not pd.
John Carrow, opposite New Dutch Church.
Richard Cornish, New Bridewell.
Mary Clem, in Batton Street.
Cath. D. Lamontaine, Bowry Lane.
Agnes Douglas, Upper Barracks.
Wm Day, in Warren street, near ds.
Elias Day, in Veesies street.
David Devoor, Turtle Bay.
N. B.—Alexander Dugan, corner of Warren street, not yet paid.
Mary De Lamontaine, in ye fields.
John Everts, Fly Market.
Robert Ellis, Pearle street.
Elizabeth Funck, Fly Market, Ferry Stairs.
Samuel Francis, Exchange.
Henry Grigg, in the Slote.
John Holdin, Upper Barracks.
Andrew Hopper, next Spring Garden.
Robert Hull, Broadway.
Alexander Hossick, in Dies street.
James Hill, Broadway, near Smith's.
Ellenor Hollady, Barrack street.
James Henry, near the College.

Cave Jones, Deary's street.
Peter Lauvilliard, above the New Gaol.
Thomas Lowry, near Oswego market.
Jacob Lintener, near the Barracks.
Foster Lewis, between Beekman and Burlin's slip.
James Lamasny, other side of the New Hospital.
Arietta Lafoy, Broadway.
N.B.—Wm. Lounds, not yet paid.
John Mott, gunr, Bowry Lane.
Jacob Moore, within 3 miles King's Bridge.
James McAttee, in Roosevelt's House at ye North River.
Margaret Marsh, Peck's Slip.
N.B.—Hister Marriner, Oyster house, not pd.
Thomas McWilliams, Cortland's Street.
John McPharson, Broadway.
John Noble, near ye Air Furnace.
John Planton, near Liberty Pole.
Jacob Pott, near ye Paper Windmill.
Sophia Raslers, Fly Ferry Stairs.
Timothy Scandivith, Fly Market.
John Simmons, opposite Old Market.
John Somerindyck, in the Bowery Lane, paid in part.
Thomas Seorfield, back Henry White's, Esq.
William Scott, Fly Market.
Henry Santon, in Warren street.
N.B.—Adam Schoumberg, in Barrack street, not yet paid.
John Tuttle, North River.
John Taylor, Garden street.
John Taylor, in the fields.
John Townsend, near 3d Coffee House.
Richard Darrian, Bull's Head.
John Walker, Broadway.
George Willis, Senr, near ye Colledge.
William Williams, Bowry lane.

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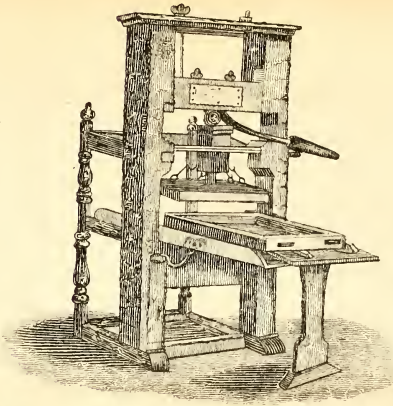
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Liverpool 25th October 1844.

10 Sept. 1844.

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along - office in which

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Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 9 instant, beg to say that the printing-press to which you refer was purchased by my Father (W. Edward Cox) with other materials, about seventy years ago, from the printing-office in which Dr. Franklin once worked as a Compositor, and as usual at that period also occasionally at press. — I remember an old pressman in my Father's employ, named Norgrove, who informed me that when Dr. Franklin was in this country arranging the treaty of peace between England and the United States, he one day came to the office, and that he (Norgrove) was then working at the press. The Dr. observed that it was the same press he had himself once worked at when a journeyman, and having ordered some porter to be sent for he drank some with him and the other men in the room, recommending them all to be industrious and attentive to business, as he had been, and that like himself they would benefit by it.

I am, dear Sir,

Your very humble Servant

W. W. Cox

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Rec.d Sept. 1835

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Great Queen Street, Sept. 1835

Sir,

The press you inquire about was purchased by my Father upwards of 50 years ago with other stock of an Office near Wilde Street Drury Lane at which Dr. Franklin formerly worked. When the Doctor was in England as Envoy from America to our Government he visited an Office and sending for a Gallon of beer Drank with the men and told the pressmen then working it that he had many times pulled that bar when a workman like themselves and accommended them to be sober and attentive if they wished to get on in the world.

My authorities for this fact are.

Mr. Vizetelly (father of Mr. Vizetelly of Fleet Street) at that time my father's overseer.

Edw. Morgrove } Pressmen whom you may recollect
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I am, Sir,

Yours &c

J. L. Cox

Mr. Stanilo

Paul, Sept. 1835

Sir

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I am, Sir,
Your Obt. Servt.
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Mr. Stanilo

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